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BETHEL WINTER CARNIVAL PLANS ARE PROGRESSING

The Bethel Chamber of Commerce announces that the 1977 Bethel Winter Carnival will be the week end of March 4, 5, and 6. The Chamber is now in the process of contacting area businesses to plan the various events. Anyone interested in helping should contact Pete Kalley at 824-2026. One highlight of the week end will be the coronation of Carnival Queen on Friday, March 4. Providing the entertainment will be the ever-popular Shaw Brothers.

FUND STARTED FOR C. P. S. CROSS COUNTRY SKI PROGRAM

The great popularity of the Crescent Park School cross country ski program has created a need for more ski equipment. The school's equipment, donated over the past several years by area residents and maintained at present by Mrs. Kelly's third grade class, is becoming very old and "tired".

Seventy-five students and more than a dozen parents-assistants are involved in the program this year with each student skiing one day a week after school. The enthusiasm generated by the program is evidenced by the rosy cheeks and smiles seen around the school every afternoon and the ever-increasing numbers of junior skiers seen gliding through the village.

To help meet the demand for additional equipment and to encourage even more youngsters (and their parents) to take part in this healthful winter sport, the Bethel Recreation Board has offered a donation of \$75 to begin a ski equipment fund. Sunday River Ski Touring Center and Sunri Ski Shop, Inc., have offered to provide the equipment at cost and have further offered to match the Recreation Board grant with another \$75. Anyone wishing to lend their support to this exciting program with donations of either used equipment (no offers refused) or contributions to the equipment fund is encouraged to contact Mrs. Virginia Kelly at 824-2886.

BETHEL LIONS LIGHT BULB SALE JAN. 22 TO JAN. 31

The Bethel Lions Club will conduct an all-out drive from Saturday, Jan. 22, 1977 to Monday, Jan. 31, 1977 to sell electric light bulbs to residents, according to an announcement made by John Rayne, president of the Bethel Lions. The money will go to Community Sight Conservation. The light bulbs will be sold in "Thank You Packs", each containing 2/60 watt, 2/75, 2/100 watt Sylvania Soft-White light bulbs at the regular retail price of \$2.50. A 10% discount will be given on sales of full cases. Every householder can use light bulbs, and this drive gives everyone an opportunity to buy a good supply of a needed product and at the same time help a worthy cause. Help your fellow man and support the Lions Sight Conservation Program.

S. A. D. #44 BOARD LEARNS OF "ENERGY AUDIT" AT MONDAY MEETING

The board of directors of S. A. D. #44 met in regular session in the Telstar Library on Monday evening of this week.

Clarence Blanchard of Mooney Engineering, Cumberland Center, reviewed with the board the findings of an energy audit conducted at Woodstock Elementary School, Bethel Bisbee School, and Telstar Regional High School. His remarks covered the conservation of electricity as well as means of a saving on costs and volume of heating oil consumed in the audited structures. Mr. Blanchard stated that Telstar ranked well in efficiency with schools of similar age and size in the state, but that Bethel Bisbee and Woodstock being older buildings were inefficient in energy utilization with a high factor of heat loss. He listed several remedies that could be undertaken such as additional insulation, weather stripping, double windows and door. Some of these are high cost items. The preparation of the Energy Audit was financially assisted by the State of Maine Energy Office through a grant from the New England Regional Commission.

The board passed over any revision of the current board policy on Student Suspension and Detention.

The directors approved a field trip for the Telstar Band to Berwick, an exchange concert on either March 26 or April 2. It was stated that the cost of the trip would be some less than \$100.

The bids of Western Maine Supply Co. at \$555 and Gary R. Savage at \$351 were accepted for the two 10-year-old buses offered for sale.

The descriptions for the positions of elementary supervisor, Telstar Middle School supervising principal and elementary teaching principals, were approved.

The board approved the finance committee's recommendation that the superintendent exercise such controls on spending as are necessary to counteract the shortfall of \$55,000 in local levy receipts during the current fiscal year.

Supt. Kenneth Swift noted that an increase of receipts in other areas had reduced the shortfall to an approximate \$37,000.

David Tripp was appointed Financial Advisor to the Telstar yearbook staff.

The following Adult Education instructors were approved: Marvin Ouwling, Western Civilization; Denise Brien, Knitting; Debbie Coffin, Macramé; Cheryl Lord, Typing and Shorthand; Don Taylor, Creative Writing; Eric Paul, House Plant Care; Sue Taylor, Psychology; Kenneth Smith, Ground School for Pilots.

Board members not present on Monday evening: Philip Morales, Gerald Schachter, Andover; Andrew Hinkley, Milton Mills, Woodstock.

The next regular meeting of the board is scheduled to be held at the Andover Elementary School on Monday evening, Feb. 7.

John Rayne attended a Lions Club conference in Portland over the week end.

Paul Farrar left Wednesday for a trip to several different states, including Arizona and California.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The Bethel Budget Committee held an organization meeting Thursday night, Jan. 13, at the Town Office. Ronald Kendall was elected chairman and Lincoln Fliske was elected secretary. The committee set the dates of Wednesday, Jan. 26, and Thursday, Jan. 27, for review of the 1977 budget. These meetings will be held at the Town Office and will start at 7:30 p. m. The committee also discussed the concept of organized citizen review of the S. A. D. #44 budget. Mr. Kendall was asked to review this with Supt. Smith prior to further discussion.

The Board of Selectmen held a special meeting Monday night, Jan. 17, to continue discussion of the 1977 budget.

The Town Manager presented the General Administration and Protection budget. Much discussion ensued, however, the Board made no decisions pending review of the total budget.

The Board approved dedicating the 1976 Annual Report to the Bicentennial Committee and the placement of a list of area state and federal elected officials in the report.

On Wednesday night, Jan. 19, the Board met with the Community Safety Advisory Committee to discuss the committee's recommendations regarding police protection. The committee's recommendations are included in a separate article. The Board also continued discussion of the 1977 budget.

Voters interested in running for Selectmen/Assessor and School Director are reminded that the deadline for submitting nomination petitions is Feb. 14. Individuals who have taken out nomination papers for Selectmen/Assessor include: Leland Brown, Stanley Howe, Jeffrey Prest and Arlene Lyon. Individuals who have taken out nomination papers for School Director include: Patricia Hudson, Betty Ann Hastings, and John Brown.

Dog owners are again reminded that 1977 dog licenses are now available at the Town Office. Dogs should be licensed as soon as possible.

Norman R. Ness, Jr.

PORTLAND SYMPHONY BRASS AT GOULD FRIDAY, JAN. 21

The Portland Symphony Brass Ensemble will be at Civic Academy's Bingham Hall on Friday, Jan. 21, at 8:00 p. m. The group has prepared a varied program of compositions by contemporary composers, such as Collier Jones, William Presser, and Ingolf Dahl, as well as some Renaissance music, some music by Bach, and a couple of Scott Joplin rags. The Maine State Commission, on the Arts and Humanities is co-sponsoring this performance.

TELSTAR A-V CLUB MOVIE NEWS

On Saturday afternoon Jan. 29, 1977 the Telstar Audio-Visual Club will be showing the movie "Coochy, Come Home" a 90-minute full length cartoon. It will be shown at 2:00 and get over at approximately 3:30. So, bring your kids for an afternoon of good films.

PLANS ANNOUNCED FOR YEAR ROUND RESORT IN BRYANT POND

Members of the Planning Board, in the Town of Woodstock, were notified this week of plans to convert the old L. M. Mann clothing factory to a modern resort hotel and restaurant. Joehen Robiller stated that he and his wife, Louise, have entered a sale-purchase agreement with Mr. W. Hillquist for the site, on the shore of Lake Christopher, and if all necessary permits, including one to operate a Class A restaurant, are secured, renovations will begin. Formal application to the Planning Board will be made as soon as possible.

Plans for the new resort are extensive and include use of several of the existing buildings with removal of the others and a general clean up and beautification of the entire area. Included are a 20 unit motel, Class A restaurant, owners apartment, arts and crafts shops to be run by local artists, a pool, sauna, and tennis courts. To be known as "Robiller's Resort", this business will be a family project, built, owned and operated by the Robillers with a projected employment figure of 10-20 persons from the local area.

Mr. and Mrs. Robiller and six year old Christian reside on the former Croteau farm, Vernon Street, Greenwood. He is a certified master bricklayer, construction engineer and boatbuilder, with much experience in the carpentry and construction field, and has recently operated a hang-gliding school at Mount Abram. In the next few weeks the Robillers will be getting to know the citizens of Woodstock in their quest for support in securing the necessary permits for construction and operation of this new venture.

LAW OFFICE OPENED IN DECEMBER

In early December, Gordon M. Gillies of Bath, opened his office for the practice of law at the corner of Main and Broad Streets (the former quarters of Robert Crane Associates). A graduate of Hebron Academy, receiving his bachelor's degree from Washington and Jefferson in Pennsylvania, he has a master's degree from the University of New Mexico. Mr. Gillies completed his law studies at Wake Forest in North Carolina.

His wife, Mary, has a bachelor's degree from Wheaton College in Massachusetts, a master's from the University of New Mexico, and is a teacher of Spanish and social studies. Currently she is the secretary in the law office.

BENEFIT SUPPER FOR RING FAMILY AT WEST PARIS

There will be a benefit supper for the family of Mr. and Mrs. David Ring, whose son Arnold was injured in a sliding accident on Dec. 22. He is still in critical condition at the Central Maine Medical Center in the intensive care unit. The supper will be held Jan. 29 at Goodwill Hall in the Universalist Church, West Paris, at 5 p. m. Tickets will go on sale at 5 p. m.

LOITERING ORDINANCE AND ADDED POLICE OFFICER IS RECOMMENDED

Bethel's Community Advisory Safety Committee has submitted its final report to the Board of Selectmen. The report defines problems that they identify as existing in the local area and recommends methods as to their solution.

Among problem areas identified by the committee are loitering and related problems of drinking, littering, drugs, disrespect for private property, verbal abuse and excessive noise late at night; irresponsible use of motor vehicles and burglary.

Several of the areas identified are covered by provisions of State statutes which take precedent over local ordinances.

The committee recommends that a loitering ordinance be inserted in the next town meeting warrant for action by the voters. The current ordinance on the matter is too general in nature to obtain convictions.

Under the ordinance recommended by the committee it would be "unlawful for any person to loiter, loaf, wander, stand, or remain idle along and/or in concert with others in a public place in such manner as to: (1) Obstruct any public sidewalk or any other public place or building by hindering or impeding or tend to hinder or impede the free and uninterrupted passage of vehicles, traffic or pedestrians."

Under the recommended ordinance it would also be unlawful to "commit in or upon any public street, public highway, public sidewalk or any other public place or building any act or thing which is an obstruction or interference to the free and uninterrupted use of property or with any business lawfully conducted by anyone in or upon or facing or fronting on any public street, public highway, public sidewalk, or any other public place or building, all of which prevents the free and uninterrupted ingress, egress, and regress, therein, thereon and thereto."

A conviction under the provisions of the ordinance would be punished by a fine of \$25 for the first offense; \$50 for second offense and \$100 for each subsequent offense.

The committee also recommends that the Selectmen support an attitude of tough enforcement of the loitering ordinance after approval by the voters.

The Selectmen are also asked to request of the Chamber of Commerce that they inform all the businesses in Bethel of the means by which they may implement the no trespass laws. This may be accomplished by posting of the property and/or use of a letter authorizing duly sworn members of the Maine State Police, Oxford County Sheriff's Department, and Bethel Police Department to communicate to persons not having a legitimate right to be upon specific premises, an order to leave.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP NEARS 200

Since the publication of the newsletter in December 21 new members have been added to the rolls of the Bethel Historical Society bringing the total to 194. Membership in the Society, besides supporting the effort to preserve and interpret the local past, also entitles one to receive the newsletter on a regular basis and to free admission to the museum. Anyone interested in joining growing organization, please call the Society office at 824-2008 or write Box 12, Bethel, Maine 04217 for details.

Recent donations to the collections of the Society include a set of wooden shoe lasts, the gift of Albert Brown of Rumford Center and a framed photograph of a school group in front of the Northwest Bethel School c. 1890, the gift of Randy Bennett of Rumford.

LADIES' NIGHT HELD BY LIONS CLUB TUESDAY

Ladies' Night was observed by the Bethel Lions Club on Tuesday evening, Jan. 18, when they entertained their guests at a dinner and social evening at the Sudbury Inn. A short business meeting was held and a film on forestry was enjoyed by the group.

In appreciation of the time and effort they both put forth to help earn money to sponsor the Manchester Muchachos for last July's Mollycoddle Day parade, Mrs. Rosalind Bouchard and Mrs. Virginia Walker were each presented a plaque and a brooch from the Lions.

State law provides that conviction of criminal trespass is punishable by a fine of up to \$250 or by imprisonment of up to six months if one remains in any place in defiance of a lawful order to leave which was personally communicated by the owner or other authorized person.

An additional full time trained policeman is also recommended for the Bethel Police Force, and that a separate article be inserted in the next town meeting warrant in this regard.

It is also recommended that the Selectmen support the development and implementation of an active recreational program. Hopefully such a program would interest Bethel youngsters in a "carry-over" activity that would continue to hold their interest as they grow older. Also an active program would hopefully appeal to some individuals currently operating on the fringe of groups involved in disruptive behavior.

Also implementation of a law enforcement educational program is recommended for the community. These would inform the public of their rights and responsibilities under the law regarding the protection of self and property.

It is also recommended that law enforcement programs be implemented in the school system with emphasis at the elementary level with the desired effect of introducing students to their responsibilities as community members.

The final recommendation is to seek authorization of the voters at the next town meeting to establish a permanent Community Safety Committee.

Is someone else's drinking a problem for you? AL-ANON Meetings every Wednesday night—8 p. m. in Bethel Savings Bank. Call 824-2233 or 824-2058 for information. tt

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MISS PAMELA R. YOUNG

Miss Pamela Rae Young, of Bethel, died here on Wednesday, Jan. 12, 1976. She was born in Lewiston, March 22, 1942, the daughter of Richard and Alma Mills Young and had been a resident of Bethel, having attended local schools and Gould Academy.

Survivors include one brother, Donald R. Young, Denver, Col.; a niece, Kelsie C. Young, and her grandfather, Ralph H. Young, of Bethel.

Funeral arrangements are incomplete.

GRANT RECEIVED AT UMO FOR FACULTY/STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM

The Institute for Quaternary Studies at the University of Maine at Orono, which is involved in studies of the most recent period of earth history, has received a \$6,000 first-year grant from the Rockefeller Foundation to provide an exchange of faculty and students among UMO, the University of Bergen, Norway, the University of Stockholm, Sweden, and the University of East Anglia, England. Purpose of the grant is to provide an exchange of ideas and to accelerate the development of cooperative research programs as well as to aid in the training of Quaternary-oriented students. The exchange will start during the coming spring semester.

UMO RECEIVES TWO STEREO PLOTTERS AS GIFTS

The University of Maine at Orono has received as gifts two stereo plotters for producing topographic maps from photographs. The machines are already in use in civil engineering and forest resources courses and are a major factor in the move to provide a new UMO bachelor of science degree program in surveying engineering. The program has been conditionally approved pending outside funding and will be the only such program in the United States, if funding becomes available.

This Week in Washington

by Senator Edmund S. Muskie

Postal Service Hearing

A study of the Postal Service released last month by the House Committee on Post Office and Civil Service is sub-titled "The Necessity for Change."

I think this subtitle sums up the feeling of Maine people about the postal service. Slow mail delivery, lost letters, machines that are as adept at crunching packages as sorting them—all have become the subject of cartoons, jokes and stories. That is not to say that the postal service is a lost cause. It is relatively cheaper and enormously more efficient than the postal services of other countries.

And there are examples of outstanding service. One woman in Lincoln County wrote me that her copy of The New Yorker Magazine was delivered on time, even though the address label had fallen off. The local postmaster knew the subscribers in the area, and made certain that each subscriber had a magazine.

But these facts do not excuse the postal service from responsibility for deteriorating service, and there is no question that Congress will soon act on a plan to improve the system. What is not yet certain is which of the various options for change will prove to be best in the long run.

To help Congress make the decisions, we established last year the Commission on Postal Service, a blue-ribbon study commission charged with finding out by March 1 what went wrong with our attempts to improve postal delivery, and what our best options might be in the future.

One of the commission's first acts will be to hold public hearings, and it will begin the nationwide series of meetings in Portland on Jan. 18. The hearing will begin at 9 a. m. in the Aragon Room of the Holiday Inn on Spring Street, and individuals, businesses and organizations are welcome to testify.

Those who wish to testify may contact Frank Pomarica at the Portland Post Office, 775-4412. My Maine offices would also be happy to help.

Organizations and businesses are asked to send in 15 copies of their testimony in advance of the hearing, if possible, and individuals who have written testimony are asked to bring three copies to the hearing.

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KOCH/TOKLE LEAGUE

HELD MEET AT FARMINGTON SUNDAY, JAN. 9

The Eastern Bill Koch/Torgre Tokle League held a meeting at Farmington, Sunday, Jan. 9, with results as follows:

Lollipops:

1. Nancy Miller (P) 1:27; 2. Heidi Belanger (P) 1:29; 3. Peter Joanson (H) 1:33; 4. Patti Ann Jaro (P) 1:42; 5. Marsha Hutchins (P) 1:53; 6. Sandra Morton (P) 2:00; 7. John Varuolo (F) 2:10; 8. Mike Miller (P) 5:02

Class V:

Girls: 1. Emily Gammon (P) 16:42; 2. Allison Belanger (P) 17:28; 3. Kim Deans (P) 18:10; 4. Deanna Fogg (P) 21:24; 5. Kirsten Froberg (B) 22:21; 6. Deanna Hutchins (P) 29:42

Boys:

1. Gary Broomhall (R) 14:59; 2. Brian Fogg (P) 15:02; 3. Ricky Bodwell (P) 15:14; 4. Stacy Gammon (P) 15:20; 5. Jon Akers (P) 15:33; 6. Mike Varuolo (F) 21:53; 7. Paul Hutchins (P) 22:10; 8. Jim Feeney (B) 23:15

Class IV:

Girls: 1. Brenda Broomhall (R) 18:14; 2. Heidi Gatz (A), Holly Piddicks (R) 18:19; 4. Deanne Bode-mer (P) 19:25; 5. Kelly Akers (P) 19:40; 6. Kathy Broomhall (R) 19:47; 7. Debbie Sayward (F) 19:48; 8. Rose Marie Tardiff (A) 20:04; 9. Sue Zinck (R) 20:26

Boys:

1. Jerry Deans (P) 16:03; 2. Chuck Jaro (P) 17:21; 3. Sam Blatchford (F) 18:28; 4. Erik Froberg (B) 18:43; 5. Charlie Cousins (B) 18:55; 6. Adam Gammon (P) 19:10; 7. Brian O'Donnell (B) 19:10; 8. Karl Barth (F) 19:27; 9. Jay Varuolo (F) 22:49; 10. Robert Grant (F) 29:55

Class III:

1. Sue Flynn (A) 23:56; 2. Maryanne Jaro (P) 27:29; 3. Laurie Vogt (B) 32:17; 4. Julie Ranger (B) 33:54; 5. Shannon Edmunds (R) 35:07; 6. Marie Miller (P) 35:55; 7. Shelly Pellitier (R) 36:53; 8. Virginia Kelly (B) DNF; 9. Eddie Palmer (P) 20:22; 10. Glenn Dunn (P) 20:39; 11. Eric Hastings (B) 22:20; 12. Brian Mills (P) 23:06; 13. Tim Akers (P) 23:18; 14. Mike Sayward (F) 23:49; 15. Butch Broomhall (B) 24:04; 16. Mike Morton (P) 25:02; 17. Chr. 27:26; 18. Lawrence Smith (B) 27:53; 19. Edgar Adams (F) 28:40; 20. Kevin Myhrall (P) 29:09; 21. Eric Morton (P) 31:32

Jumping:

Class V: 1. Stacy Gammon (P) 43.6; 2. Mike Varuolo (F) 42.6

Class IV:

1. Chuck Jaro (P) 66.3; 2. Jay Varuolo (F) 58.8; 3. Jerry Deans (P) 56.8; 4. Sam Blatchford (F) 50.8

Class III:

1. Eddie Palmer (P) 164.5; 2. Glenn Dunn (P) 161.0; 3. Mike Sayward (F) 151.5; 4. Brian Mills (P) 145.0; 5. Edgar Adams (F) 135.5; 6. Mike Morton (P) 129.0

Combined:

Class V: Stacy Gammon (P) 263.6; Mike Varuolo (F) 144.7

Class IV:

Jerry Deans (P) 276.8; Chuck Jaro (P) 263.7; Sam Blatchford (F) 227.3; Jay Varuolo (F) 157.0

Class III:

Eddie Palmer (P) 384.5; Glenn Dunn (P) 375.9; Brian Mills (P) 315.8; Mike Sayward (F) 309.4; Mike Morton (P) 250.0; Edgar Adams (F) 208.2



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1 PUBLIC SAFETY	\$	\$	Major Highway P14	
2 ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION	\$	\$	has received General Revenue Sharing	
3 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION	\$	\$	payments totaling	
4 HEALTH	\$	\$	during the period from July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976	
5 RECREATION	\$	\$	ACCOUNT NO. 20-3-009-018	
6 LIBRARIES	\$	\$	Major Highway P14	
7 SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR	\$	\$	Treasurer	
8 FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATION	\$	\$	Or Red County	
9 MULTIPURPOSE AND GENERAL GOVT	\$	\$	Exec. N.H. 63579	
10 EDUCATION	\$	\$		
11 SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$		
12 HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$		
13 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$		
14 OTHER (Specify)	\$	\$		
15 TOTALS	\$ 1,660.52	\$		

NONDISCRIMINATION REQUIREMENTS HAVE BEEN MET

GOULD ACADEMY TO PRESENT "RED HOUSE CIRCUS" FRIDAY

The Red House Circus will appear in Bingham Hall Auditorium at Gould Academy on Friday, Jan. 14, at 8 p. m. Come and enjoy!

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY TO MEET JAN. 17

The Bethel Hospital Auxiliary will hold a business meeting at the home of Barbara D. Brown on Elm Street, Jan. 17, at 7:30 p. m. The regular meeting was postponed on account of the storm and will be held Feb. 7 at the same place and time with Ruth Ames at her home on Broad Street with a 6:30 pot luck supper. All members are urged to attend both meetings.

CRIME PREVENTION LIST AVAILABLE FROM MAINE STATE POLICE

The Maine State Police has available for the public a Crime Prevention List.

"In an effort to minimize the dangers of burglary, we have put together a Crime Prevention List that we hope will help citizens in the prevention of crime," said Col. Allan H. Weeks, Chief of the Maine State Police.

The Crime Prevention List, available from any Trooper or State Police barracks, lists 16 items citizens are advised to do to help reduce the possibility of burglary or breaking, entering, and larceny of their homes.

The list also provides for writing in police telephone numbers, and gives the telephone numbers of all the Maine State Police barracks.

And, as Col. Weeks said in the Crime Prevention List, "Effectiveness in stopping crime is only as good as the communication between the community and law enforcement. We must have a continuing partnership dedicated to the prevention of crime."

Locke Mills

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

The Ladies Circle will meet, unless otherwise notified, at the home of Mrs. Rowena Dunham, on the afternoon of Jan. 19. All ladies are welcome. The word for the month is epiphany.

On Thursday, Jan. 20, the Fish and Game Association will hold their potluck supper and meeting at 6:30 at the town hall.

Susan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cole, Greenwood Center, returned home Thursday from Stephens Memorial Hospital where she had been a tonsilectomy patient.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Morrill, Summer, Miss Gladys Barker and Mrs. Harriet Rix, Rumford, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Ford and Mrs. Lettie Ford.

John Smith returned Thursday from Maine Medical Center, in Portland and spent the week end recuperating at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Ryzo Shimamura.

Valerie, Stephen and Charlotte Cole visited Mrs. Leona Curtis Saturday afternoon. Leona was celebrating her birthday.

The mill and most of the area businesses closed early on Monday due to the severity of the storm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Marcia were in Rumford Wednesday to pick up Marcia's new glasses. They continued to Livermore Falls, where they visited Rev. and Mrs. Donald Smith, Robbie and Chrystal, and John Smith, and attended services at the Nazarene Church there. Rev. Smith was scheduled to enter Franklin County Memorial Hospital on Thursday for a tonsilectomy.

DIED

In Bethel, Jan. 12, Miss Pamela R. Young, aged 34 years.



Christine Twitchell

MISS TWITCHELL SELECTED FOR COLLEGIATE WHO'S WHO

Christine Twitchell has been selected for membership in the 1976-77 Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges Honors program.

Selection for this honor is made by campus nominating committees and endorsed by the college faculty and administration, based on decidedly above average academic standing, community service, leadership ability, and future potential.

Miss Twitchell, a graduate of Telstar Regional High School, is now a junior at the University of Maine at Portland-Gorham majoring in nursing. A dean's list student, she is a member of Kappa

Delta Epsilon, a professional service sorority; public relations chairman of the Maine Nursing Students' Association and a member of the campus orientation committee. Miss Twitchell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. LaForest Twitchell of Bryant Pond.

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BETHEL WINTER CARNIVAL PLANS ARE PROGRESSING

The Bethel Chamber of Commerce announces that the 1977 Bethel Winter Carnival will be the week end of March 4, 5, and 6. The Chamber is now in the process of contacting area businesses to plan the various events. Anyone interested in helping should contact Pete Kalley at 824-2026. One highlight of the week end will be the coronation of Carnival Queen on Friday, March 4. Providing the entertainment will be the ever-popular Shaw Brothers.

FUND STARTED FOR C. P. S.

CROSS COUNTRY SKI PROGRAM
The great popularity of the Crescent Park School cross country ski program has created a need for more ski equipment. The school's equipment, donated over the past several years by area residents and maintained at present by Mrs. Kelly's third grade class, is becoming very old and "tired".

Seventy-five students and more than a dozen parents-assistants are involved in the program this year with each student skiing one day a week after school. The enthusiasm generated by the program is evidenced by the rosy cheeks and smiles seen around the school every afternoon and the ever-increasing numbers of junior skiers seen gliding through the village.

To help meet the demand for additional equipment and to encourage even more youngsters (and their parents) to take part in this healthful winter sport, the Bethel Recreation Board has offered a donation of \$75 to begin a ski equipment fund. Sunday River Ski Touring Center and Sunnyside Ski Shop, Inc., have offered to provide the equipment at cost and have further offered to match the Recreation Board grant with another \$75. Anyone wishing to lend their support to this exciting program with donations of either used equipment (no offers refused) or contributions to the equipment fund is encouraged to contact Mrs. Virginia Kelly at 824-2886.

BETHEL LIONS LIGHT BULB SALE JAN. 22 TO JAN. 31

The Bethel Lions Club will conduct an all-out drive from Saturday, Jan. 22, 1977 to Monday, Jan. 31, 1977 to sell electric light bulbs to residents, according to an announcement made by John Rayne, president of the Bethel Lions. The money will go to Community Sight Conservation. The light bulbs will be sold in "Thank You Packs", each containing 2/60 watt, 2/75 watt, 2/100 watt Sylvania Soft-White light bulbs at the regular retail price of \$2.50. A 10% discount will be given on sales of full cases. Every householder can use light bulbs, and this drive gives everyone an opportunity to buy a good supply of a needed product and at the same time help a worthy cause. Help your fellow man and support the Lions Sight Conservation Program.

S. A. D. #44 BOARD LEARNS OF "ENERGY AUDIT" AT MONDAY MEETING

The board of directors of S. A. D. #44 met in regular session in the Telstar Library on Monday evening of this week. Clarence Blanchard of Mooney Engineering, Cumberland Center, reviewed with the board the findings of an energy audit conducted at Woodstock Elementary School, Bethel Bissbee School, and Telstar Regional High School. His remarks covered the conservation of electricity as well as means of heating oil consumed in the audited structures. Mr. Blanchard stated that Telstar ranked well in efficiency with schools of similar age and size in the state, but that Bethel Bissbee and Woodstock being older buildings were inefficient in energy utilization with a high factor of heat loss. He listed several remedies that could be undertaken such as additional insulation, weather stripping, double windows and door. Some of these are high cost items. The preparation of the Energy Audit was financially assisted by the State of Maine Energy Office through a grant from the New England Regional Commission.

The board passed over any revision of the current board policy on Student Suspension and Detention.

The directors approved a field trip for the Telstar Band to Berwick, an exchange concert on either March 26 or April 2. It was stated that the cost of the trip would be some less than \$100.

The bids of Western Maine Supply Co. at \$355 and Gary R. Savage at \$351 were accepted for the two 10-year-old buses offered for sale.

The descriptions for the positions of elementary supervisor, Telstar Middle School supervising principal and elementary teaching principals were approved.

The board approved the finance committee's recommendation that the superintendent exercise such controls on spending as are necessary to counteract the shortfall of \$55,000 in local levy receipts during the current fiscal year.

Supt. Kenneth Smith noted that an increase of receipts in other areas had reduced the shortfall to an approximate \$37,000.

David Tripp was appointed Financial Advisor to the Telstar yearbook staff.

The following Adult Education instructors were approved: Marvin Ouwinga, Western Civilization; Denise Brown, Knitting; Debbie Coffin, Macramé; Cheryl Lord, Typing and Shorthand; Don Taylor, Creative Writing; Eric Paul, House Plant Care; Sue Taylor, Psychology; Kenneth Smith, Ground School for Pilots.

Board members not present on Monday evening: Philip Morales, Gerald Schachter, Andover; Andrew Hinkley, Milton Mills, Woodstock.

The next regular meeting of the board is scheduled to be held at the Andover Elementary School on Monday evening, Feb. 7.

John Rayne attended a Lions Club conference in Portland over the week end.

Paul Farrar left Wednesday for a trip to several different states, including Arizona and California.

COMMENTS FROM THE TOWN MANAGER'S OFFICE

The Bethel Budget Committee held an organization meeting Thursday night, Jan. 13, at the Town Office. Ronald Kendall was elected chairman and Lincoln Fluke was elected secretary. The committee set the dates of Wednesday, Jan. 26, and Thursday, Jan. 27 for review of the 1977 budget. These meetings will be held at the Town Office and will start at 7:30 p. m. The committee also discussed the concept of organized citizen review of the S. A. D. #44 budget. Mr. Kendall was asked to review this with Supt. Smith prior to further discussion.

The Board of Selectmen held a special meeting Monday night, Jan. 17, to continue discussion of the 1977 budget.

The Town Manager presented the General Administration and Protection budget. Much discussion ensued, however, the Board made no decisions pending review of the total budget.

The Board approved dedicating the 1976 Annual Report to the Bicentennial Committee and the placement of a list of area state and federal elected officials in the report.

On Wednesday night, Jan. 19, the Board met with the Community Safety Advisory Committee to discuss the committee's recommendations regarding police protection. The committee's recommendations are included in a separate article. The Board also continued discussion of the 1977 budget.

Voters interested in running for Selectmen/Assessor and School Director are reminded that the deadline for submitting nomination petitions is Feb. 14. Individuals who have taken out nomination papers for Selectman/Assessor include: Leland Brown, Stanley Howe, Jeffrey Prest and Arlene Lyon. Individuals who have taken out nomination papers for School Director include: Patricia Hudson, Betty Ann Hastings, and John Bawn.

Dog owners are again reminded that 1977 dog licenses are now available at the Town Office. Dogs should be licensed as soon as possible.

Norman R. Ness, Jr.

PORTLAND SYMPHONY BRASS AT GOULD FRIDAY, JAN. 21

The Portland Symphony Brass Ensemble will be at Gould Academy's Bingham Hall on Friday, Jan. 21, at 8:00 p. m. The group has prepared a varied program of compositions by contemporary composers, such as Collier Jones, William Presser, and Ingolf Dahl, as well as some Renaissance music, some music by Bach, and a couple of Scott Joplin rags. The Maine State Commission on the Arts and Humanities is cosponsoring this performance.

TELSTAR A-V CLUB MOVIE NEWS

On Saturday afternoon Jan. 29, 1977 the Telstar Audio-Visual Club will be showing the movie "Snowy, Come Home" a 90-minute full length cartoon.

It will be shown at 2:00 and get over at approximately 3:30. So, bring your kids for an afternoon of good films.

PLANS ANNOUNCED FOR YEAR ROUND RESORT IN BRYANT POND

Members of the Planning Board, in the Town of Woodstock, were notified this week of plans to convert the old L. M. Mann clothespin factory to a modern resort hotel and restaurant. Jochen Robiller stated that he and his wife, Louise, have entered a sale-purchase agreement with Mr. W. Hillquist for the site, on the shore of Lake Christopher, and if all necessary permits, including one to operate a Class A restaurant, are secured, renovations will begin. Formal application to the Planning Board will be made as soon as possible.

Plans for the new resort are extensive and include use of several of the existing buildings with removal of the others and a general clean up and beautification of the entire area. Included are a 20 unit motel, Class A restaurant, owners apartment, arts and crafts shops to be run by local artists, a pool, sauna, and tennis courts. To be known as "Robiller's Resort", this business will be a family project, built, owned and operated by the Robiller family with a projected employment figure of 10-20 persons from the local area.

Mr. and Mrs. Robiller and six-year old Christian reside on the former Croteau farm, Vernon Street, Greenwood. He is a certified master bricklayer, construction engineer and boatbuilder, with much experience in the carpentry and construction field, and has recently operated a hang-gliding school at Mount Abram. In the next few weeks the Robillers will be getting to know the citizens of Woodstock in their quest for support in securing the necessary permits for construction and operation of this new venture.

LAW OFFICE OPENED IN DECEMBER

In early December, Gordon M. Gillies of Bath, opened his office for the practice of law at the corner of Main and Broad Streets (the former quarters of Robert Crane Associates). A graduate of Harvard Academy, receiving his bachelor's degree from Washington and Jefferson in Pennsylvania, he has a master's degree from the University of New Mexico. Mr. Gillies completed his law studies at Wake Forest in North Carolina.

His wife, Mary, has a bachelor's degree from Wheaton College in Massachusetts, a master's from the University of New Mexico, and is a teacher of Spanish and social studies. Currently she is the secretary in the law office.

BENEFIT SUPPER FOR RING FAMILY AT WEST PARIS

There will be a benefit supper for the family of Mr. and Mrs. David Ring, whose son Arnold was injured in a sliding accident on Dec. 22. He is still in critical condition at the Central Maine Medical Center in the intensive care unit. The supper will be held Jan. 29 at Goodwill Hall in the Universalist Church, West Paris, at 6 p. m. Tickets will go on sale at 5 p. m.

LOITERING ORDINANCE AND ADDED POLICE OFFICER IS RECOMMENDED

Bethel's Community Advisory Safety Committee has submitted its final report to the Board of Selectmen. The report defines problems that they identify as existing in the local area and recommend methods as to their solution.

Among problem areas identified by the committee are loitering and related problems of drinking, littering, drugs, disrespect for private property, verbal abuse and excessive noise late at night; irresponsible use of motor vehicles and burglary.

Several of the areas identified are covered by provisions of State statutes which take precedent over local ordinances.

The committee recommends that a loitering ordinance be inserted in the next town meeting warrant for action by the voters. The current ordinance on the matter is too general in nature to obtain convictions.

Under the ordinance recommended by the committee it would be "unlawful for any person to loiter, loaf, wander, stand, or remain idle along and/or in concert with others in a public place in such manner as to: (1) Obstruct any public street, public highway, public sidewalk or any other public place or building by hindering or impeding or tend to hinder or impede the free and uninterrupted passage of vehicles, traffic or pedestrians."

Under the recommended ordinance it would also be unlawful to "commit in or upon any public street, public highway, public sidewalk or any other public place or building any act or thing which is an obstruction or interference to the free and uninterrupted use of property or with any business lawfully conducted by anyone in or upon or facing or fronting on any public street, public highway, public sidewalk, or any other public place or building, all of which prevents the free and uninterrupted ingress, egress, and regress, therein, thereon and thereto."

A conviction under the provisions of the ordinance would be punished by a fine of \$25 for the first offense; \$50 for second offense and \$100 for each subsequent offense.

The committee also recommends that the Selectmen support an attitude of tough enforcement of the loitering ordinance after approval by the voters.

The Selectmen are also asked to request of the Chamber of Commerce that they inform all the businesses in Bethel of the means by which they may implement the no trespass laws. This may be accomplished by posting of the property and/or use of a letter authorizing duly sworn members of the Maine State Police, Oxford County Sheriff's Department, and Bethel Police Department to communicate to persons not having a legitimate right to be upon specific premises, an order to leave.

HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP NEARS 200

Since the publication of the newsletter in December 21 new members have been added to the rolls of the Bethel Historical Society bringing the total to 194. Membership in the Society, besides supporting the effort to preserve and interpret the local past, also entitles one to receive the newsletter on a regular basis and to free admission to the museum. Anyone interested in joining a growing organization, please call the Society office at 824-2908 or write Box 12, Bethel, Maine 04217 for details.

Recent donations to the collections of the Society include a set of wooden shoe lasts, the gift of Albert Brown of Rumford Center and a framed photograph of a school group in front of the Northwest Bethel School c. 1890, the gift of Randy Bennett of Rumford.

LADIES' NIGHT HELD BY LIONS CLUB TUESDAY

Ladies' Night was observed by the Bethel Lions Club on Tuesday evening, Jan. 18, when they entertained their guests at a dinner and social evening at the Sudbury Inn. A short business meeting was held and a film on forestry was enjoyed by the group.

In appreciation of the time and effort they both put forth to help earn money to sponsor the Manchester Muchachos for last July's Mollycoddle Day parade, Mrs. Rosamaine Bouchard and Mrs. Virginia Walker were each presented a plaque and a brooch from the Lions.

State law provides that conviction of criminal trespass is punishable by a fine of up to \$250 or by imprisonment of up to six months if one remains in any place in defiance of a lawful order to leave which was personally communicated by the owner or other authorized person.

An additional full time trained policeman is also recommended for the Bethel Police Force, and that a separate article be inserted in the next town meeting warrant in this regard.

It is also recommended that the Selectmen support the development and implementation of an active recreational program. Hopefully such a program would interest Bethel youngsters in a "carry-over" activity that would continue to hold their interest as they grow older. Also an active program would hopefully appeal to some individuals currently operating on the fringe of groups involved in disruptive behavior.

Also implementation of a law enforcement educational program is recommended for the community. These would inform the public of their rights and responsibilities under the law regarding the protection of self and property.

It is also recommended that law enforcement programs be implemented in the school system with emphasis at the elementary level with the desired effect of introducing students to their responsibilities as community members.

The final recommendation is to seek authorization of the voters at the next town meeting to establish a permanent Community Safety Committee.

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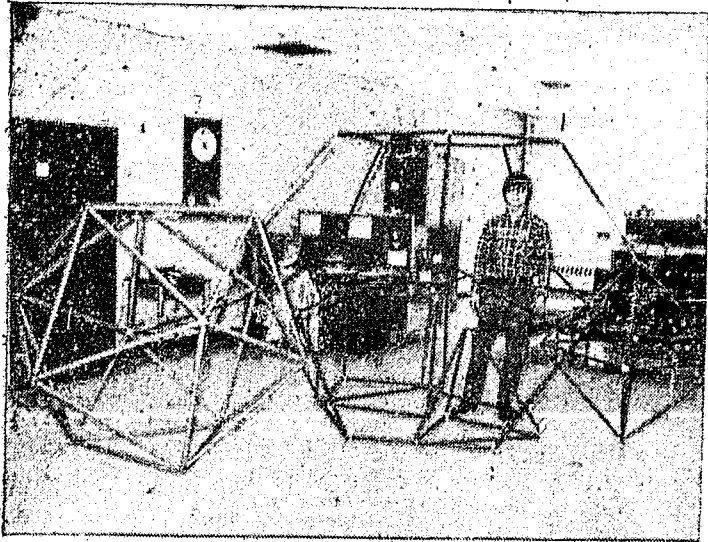
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for his physics class project at Telstar. These solids become quite important in the study of science. The five solids are: 4 sides—tetrahedron; 6 sides—cube; 8 sides—octahedron; 12 sides—dodecahedron; and 20 sides—the icosahedron.

Albany HUNT'S CORNER AND VICINITY

Kathy Bennett, Corres. — The old wind is whistling around the house this morning! A flock of purple finches is huddled in the bird feeder trying to find protection from the elements. The window panes are decorated with many intricate lace patterns of frost. Guess it will take a lot of wood to keep the teakettle singing today.

Kenny Bumpus called on Hugh and Edith Stearns on Sunday. Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Inman on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stearns.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McAllister were at their daughter's Alberta White's on Sunday, to celebrate their granddaughter's, Mary's birthday. On Friday Albert and Elma called on the Mahlon Grover's in North Waterford.

Sarah Andrews was in Lewiston on business on Friday and had dinner at the Steak House. Saturday Peter Howard shovelled off the roof for her. Sarah is spending this week visiting her sister, Mrs. Merritt Kimball in South Waterford.

Esther Rugg and Margaret Barton went to Lewiston on Saturday. Sunday callers at the Barton's were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Seavey and Randy of Conway, N. H.

The latest therapy here at K-D's Acre is "think spring"! For the last week we have been pouring over the seed catalogs making out our orders and now we can start planning the gardens! Next month we can start many of the needed seedlings. So you see spring is nearer than you think! We attended the Agricultural Trade Show in Augusta on Wednesday with my parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Twitchell. My brother, Allan Twitchell, was there with a display representing the New Holland division of the Sperry Rand Corporation. We also saw Robert Felt, a former Bethel resident.

Friday evening we called on my folks as it was their 37th wedding anniversary. David spent the week end visiting with his grandparents and Aunt Kay and Uncle Bill. Callers at K-D's Acres this last week have been, Mrs. Flo Cairns and Miss Christine Twitchell.

Bryant Pond

Mrs. Alice F. Hoyt, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. Chester C. Bean were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Walker and family for dinner on New Year's night. On Sunday, Jan. 9, Mr. and Mrs. Robert C. Crockett had Mr. and Mrs. Bean as noon guests in honor of Mr. Crockett's birthday. The Beans spent the New Year's week end at their home they are having built on the former Crockett lot with George Olson of Bethel as builder and contractor.

On Jan. 13 the third and fourth grades at Woodstock Elementary School had a guest. Mr. Wiggins, White Mt. National Forest Ranger spoke to them. They are studying different forest regions of the world. Mr. Wiggins made conservation and the work of a forest ranger very interesting by showing them different things he uses in his work and how they use them.

Guest speakers at the Baptist Church on Sunday, Jan. 23 both morning and evening will be Rev. and Mrs. Alan Brough from the Hospital Chaplaincy Service.

The Bryant Pond young people played Mexico young people in basketball Monday evening and Bryant Pond won.

The Daughters of Veterans will meet Monday, Jan. 24, for installation at the Grange Hall. Tasting party after the meeting.

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Stay warm, keep busy and above all be happy.

CARD OF THANKS — Many thanks to relatives and friends for making my birthday such a happy one, with flowers, gifts, cards, letters and phone calls. God bless you all. Mrs. Rena Abbott

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Mrs. Colista Morgan, Corres. —

This is a day to be compared with lions. The western horizon right now is blotted in gray cotton wool. A frenzy of wind is driving smoky plumes of snow against the window like chilled shot. At times the air becomes so dense with swirling snow that when I look toward the mail box it is scarcely visible.

As I ventured out to feed my birds, I tasted the comfortable contrast between the outside frigid and our indoor tranquility. A good time to write and read. Thoreau once advised, "Catch the peace of the seasons, have leisure to attend to every phenomenon of nature and to entertain every thought that comes to you."

How different from a few days ago when I went up the Sanborn River on my snowshoes and to a hill opening beyond.

Somewhere in the woods just off the pond I found myself down in the deep snow with my snowshoes tangled in an invisible bush. It was as soft as cotton and I was determined to get up without removing my shoes. After a struggle, at which time, I was glad of ski poles, I did.

I came to Pine Lane where I'm

sure every rabbit for miles around had met for a New Year's party. Tracks everywhere but no sign of the makers. I'm sure they had danced hungry and wild under the winter's moon. No doubt they were near by watching as I went on toward the river.

A swirl of birds, pine siskins or gold finches, swept away from among the pines scattering like drops of rain. Then silence lay where the sun shone golden-sleeved across the woods.

Before going down the bank to the river I looked to the mountains where the heights were topped with snow. A mare's-tail cloud floated south beyond Overset Mountain.

I saw the tracks of a fox where he had explored the bushes going to the spruce-filled greenness of the swamp, heading generally north where his trail rose and dropped, then ascended again.

High, at least twenty feet up from the ground, on a limb of a dead elm, swayed a bees nest. It had been visited by squirrels for one side had been torn away.

Beyond the south shore I climb-

ed to an opening where a wave of radiance poured down the hill in a trough-like path, a bit of liquid gold, a sun path descending to the river.

On my way back the river made a corridor. I followed it most to its mouth. It was somewhere along its bank that I got my most exciting adventure of all. At my feet three lacy trails led to a small alder. They stopped at the base so I glanced up. There on a limb above the eye level was a small bird's nest. I stepped close to examine the soft grasses and plant fibers beneath a rounded dome of snow. I reached the twig to pull it down. The nest quivered. The snow fell away. Leaves and grass roofed it except for one side which was incomplete. Two tiny inquisitive eyes met mine. A mouse! Its nose twinkled as it sampled the air for clues as to what had disturbed its sleep. I moved on, happy with my afternoon hike even to the fall on my beginning trail. This too had proved something for me.

On Sunday we visited Mr. and

Mrs. Carroll Nottage in South Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Brooks, West Paris.

The bookmobile was in Wednesday supplying us with reading material until Feb. 15.

People have been busy this last week with clearing drive ways and roofs. Our roadmen have surely done a good job on our roads.

Ardell Hayes, Auburn; Duane Hayes and children, West Paris were at the Hayes Homestead on Saturday.

The Hayes family called on Duane Hayes on Sunday and were in Norway for dinner.

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7 SOCIAL SERVICES FOR AGED OR POOR	\$	\$		
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11 SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$		
12 HOUSING & COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$		
13 ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT	\$	\$		
14 OTHER (Specify)	\$	\$		
15 TOTALS	\$	\$1,831.40		

(D) TRUST FUND REPORT (refer to instruction D)

1. Balance as of June 30, 1976	\$	0
2. Revenue Sharing Funds Received from July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976	\$	1,769
3. Interest Received of Credited (July 1, 1976 thru December 31, 1976)	\$	62
4. Funds Released from Obligations (IF ANY)	\$	
5. Sum of lines 1, 2, 3, 4	\$	
6. Funds Returned to ORS (IF ANY)	\$	
7. Total Funds Available	\$	1,831
8. Total Amount Expended (Sum of line 15, column B and column C)	\$	1,831
9. Balance as of December 31, 1976	\$	

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Signature of Chief Executive: *Roger E. Hanson* 1-11-77
Name and Title: *Roger E. Hanson, Chairman of Selectmen*

Songo Pond

— Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres. —

Little Lorie Howard has been missing school because of illness with scarletina.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Adams, Derek and Erin, of Hanover, were Saturday supper guests of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis McAllister of Oxford and Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Miller of West Peru were callers during the week end of the Jack Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. John Provencher are rejoicing over the arrival of their baby daughter one day last week at the Norway Hospital. She has been named Josephine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parsons and Mrs. Alice Kimball were in Lewiston Tuesday where he kept a doctor's appointment.

Mrs. Ralph Kimball spent most of the day Monday with the Steve Beans in Otisfield.

Miss Brenda Smith was a supper guest Tuesday of the Byron Laphams and spent the night with them.

Several cottage owners have had their roofs shovelled off. Some others are holding up quite a load.

For age and want, save while you may. No morning sun lasts a whole day.

Upton

— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —

About 15 people gathered at the school house to discuss pros and cons of the secret ballot type of voting for officials at town meeting.

A mock voting was enacted in which everyone took part with good humor interlaced and followed by serious questions which pertained to effects this type of voting would have.

Annie Bernier stopped in on Wednesday on her way to Colebrook to attend her mother's funeral and settle family affairs.

Larry Wade was unable to get to Upton last week end because of car trouble. This must be the first week end in many months that he stayed in Dover. A couple of the children were planning on a birthday party at his camp, and were disappointed that it had to be postponed.

There is very little traffic lately except for logging trucks and other regulars such as mail and road equipment.

The Korhonen visited the Berniers Sunday and brought a washing machine. It is an old style wringer machine and is rather fun to use once again. It is also great to clear up some of the laundry stacked up since my automatic went on the blink.

The Tuomonen twins and friends spent several days at their Blueberry Hill cabin last week.

Gail Lavallee entertained friends from Errol, Sunday.

While musing about the occasional shower. Mrs. Gilberte Seeley made a pillow with a face like a Teddy Bear. Mrs. Karlene Bachelder made and decorated the shower cake. Attending or sending gifts were Mary Smith, Mrs. Karlene Bachelder, Mrs. Nancy Wight, Mrs. Beatrice Lowell, Mrs. Lynda Haegle, Mrs. Roberta Johnson, Mrs. Eleanor Morton, Mrs. Louise Learned, Mrs. Freda Robertson, Mrs. Brenda Bartholomew, Mrs. Doris Hale, Mrs. Sylvia Wight, Mrs. Sue Wight, Mrs. Elsie Flanders, Mrs. Juanita Korhonen, Mrs. Helen Morton, Mrs. Jeanine Fleet, Mrs. Ethelyn Wight.

The Ladies Extension will meet Jan. 24, at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Beatrice Lowell.

TELSTAR SKIERS WIN OVER FRYEBURG

Though Fryeburg won two out of three events, the Telstar boys dominated the cross country event 99.03 to 92.93 enough to make the final score 283.92 for Telstar and 282.25 for Fryeburg Academy.

In the slalom event held Friday, Jan. 14, at Mt. Abram, Fryeburg opened up a 97.86 to 93.08 lead over Telstar. Brochu of Fryeburg was the individual winner with a total time of 47.0 sec. for the two-run event. Sophomore Mike Rosenberg of Telstar was a close second with 41.1 seconds and former Telstar student, Scott Smith of Fryeburg was third at 47.2 seconds.

The Nordic events were held Saturday, Jan. 15, at Fryeburg. In the jumping event Fryeburg was the victor with 92.26 and Telstar at 91.81. The individual winner was Fryeburg's Scott Smith with 117.3 points, followed by Telstar's Mike Brooks at 109.6 and Dave Webster 95.3.

In the afternoon cross country Tm Downs of Telstar was the winner, covering the 7 kilometer course in 24 min., 47 seconds. Peter Bodwell of Telstar was second with 25:19 and Mike Dunn third at 25:34. Telstar took 11 of the first 13 places.

Top Ten

Slalom: (1) Brochu (F) 47.0; (2) Rosenberg (T) 47.1; (3) Smith (F) 47.2; (4) Lunt (F) 48.4; (5) G. Hastings (F) 51.6; (6) tie M. Hastings (F), S. Morrill (T), S. Cross (T) 51.8; (9) James (T) 53.1; (10) Sheehan (F) 55.3.

Jump: (7) S. Smith (F) 117.3; (2) Brooks (T) 109.6; (3) Webster (T) 95.3; (4) M. Hastings (F) 94.1; (5) Downs (T) 93.3; (6) Palmer (T) 93.2; (7) Dunn (T) 92.2; (8) Sargent (F) 91.9; (9) LaPointe (Berlin, N. H.) 90.3; (10) A. Smith (F) 90.0.

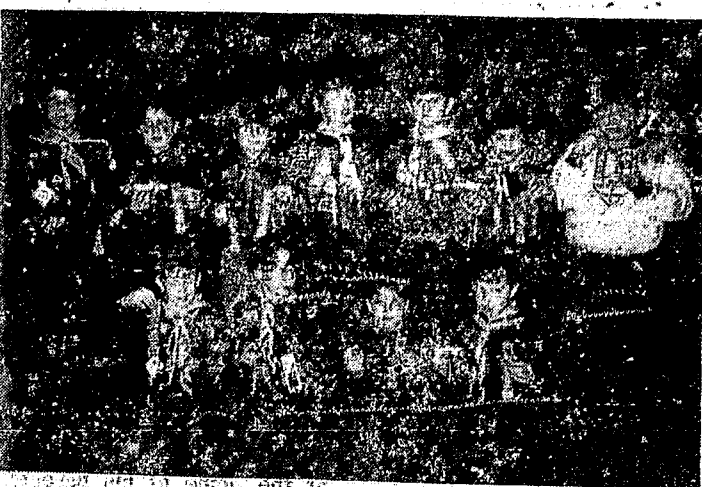
XC: (1) Downs (T) 24:47; (2) Bodwell (T) 25:19; (3) Dunn (T) 25:34; (4) Peabody (F) 26:04; (5) Brochu (F) 26:17; (6) Morrill (T) 26:54; (7) Mackay (T) 27:17; (8) Lannon (T) 27:30; (9) Conrad (T) 27:39; (10) Brown (T) 27:52.

ence in Wakefield, N. H., and feeling disgust with officials who said there was nothing there to quickly melt a large hole in foot thick ice while the temperature was 25 degrees below freezing, I remembered the story of a couple returning from Quebec who claimed to have been stopped by a UFO and taken aboard the vehicle. It seemed it was in the same area and I reread parts of the book to find it was within a few miles of Wakefield. More interesting were the reports in both cases of radioactive material. If I should be on the scene of any related happening, hopefully I'd report to a scientific center, rather than governmental.

The three fastest cars and the best designed car will now compete in the District Derby that will be held in Rumford later in the month of February. If they win there they will be eligible to go to Portland for the State Finals in March.

This years Derby was one of the finest and a vote of thanks goes to all the committeemen for their cooperation and assistance and to all the Cubs and their dads who labored long hours producing all the fine racing cars.

The next Pack 566 activity will be the annual Blue and Gold banquet and Pack meeting to be held Tuesday, Feb. 15, at the Telstar cafeteria.



CUB SCOUTS HELD ANNUAL PINEWOOD DERBY AT GOULD

Over 130 people jammed into Bingham Gym at Gould Academy to witness the annual Pinewood Derby. Thirty one wooden cars, each cut out, sanded, painted and decorated by Cubs and their dads were entered in this year's competition.

The cars were run in heats of three and each car had to lose twice before it was eliminated. Winners were determined in each age group before the final competition began. In the eight-year-old division first place went to Mike Jodrey with Eric Wight second and Scott Korhonen third. Todd Kellogg won the nine-year old class, with Brent Bachelder, and Keith Wight second and third. In the ten year old class, last year's overall winner, Steven Snyder was first with Jon Ness second and Dale Korhonen third.

The Pack finals included all these division winners and after the double elimination, the winners were Todd Kellogg, first; Keith Wight, second and Steven Snyder, third.

In addition to speed, the cars were judged for best design and workmanship. These winners were Jon Ness' "Spark Fire II", first; Danny Myers' "Black and Silver 504", second and Kevin Sweetser's "Blue and White Racer", third.

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PINE WOOD DERBY WINNERS

Tuesday evening, Jan. 18, the Bethel area Cub Scouts Pine Wood Derby was held at Gould Academy's Girls' Gym. Award winners are shown above. Back row, left to right: Jon Ness, Dale Korhonen, Steven Snyder, Brent Bachelder, Todd Kellogg, Keith Wight, and Kevin Sweetser. Front, left to right: Eric Wight, Mike Jodrey, Danny Myers and Scott Korhonen.

TELSTAR GIRLS FINISH SECOND

In a two-event, three-way meet held at Mt. Abram and Fryeburg Jan. 14 and 15, Fryeburg Academy girls out skied Telstar and Berlin High School skiers with a total score of 198.06. Telstar was second with 162.94 and Berlin, third at 146.00. The Fryeburg girls are the defending Class B state champions.

In the two-run slalom held Friday at Mt. Abram, Julie Sislane of Fryeburg, was the individual winner with a time of 52.3 seconds. Bonnie Dennis of Telstar finished second with 52.4 and Rachel Mills of Telstar was ninth with 60.6.

In Saturday cross-country, Sally Wilson of Fryeburg was first with 22:55 and team-mates Barbara Cooper and Karen Robiller were second and third respectively. Debbie Briggs was the first Telstar finisher in sixth with 25:00.

SLALOM: (1) J. Sislane (F) 52.3; (2) B. Dennis (T) 52.4; (3) G. Sislane (F) 53.1; (4) Osgood (F) 53.3; (5) Barker (F) 54.8; (9) R. Mills (T) 60.6; (11) D. Briggs (F); (14) P. Mills (T); (15) N. Buck (T).

X-C: (1) Wilson (F) 22:55; (2) Cooper (F) 23:05; (3) Robiller (F) 24:03; (4) Cote (B) 24:08; (5) J. Sislane (F) 24:54; (6) Briggs (F) 25:00; (8) F. Morgan (T) 25:15; (9) Gauthier (T) 25:23; (11) Hutchins (T); (12) B. Mills (T); (15) Emery (T); (17) Farrington (T).

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East Bethel

— Mrs. David Foster, Corres. —

Alder River Grange No. 145 held a regular meeting on Friday, Jan. 14, with 10 members present. It was voted to give \$2.00 to the Hospital Chaplaincy Service. Refreshments and cards were enjoyed after the meeting.

Lendell Nevens of Carmel, N. Y., and Jeff Nevens of Brownville Junction visited Mrs. Floribel Haines over the week end.

Mrs. Floribel Haines, Fred Haines, Lendell and Jeff Nevens took a trip through the White Mountains, Saturday.

Mrs. Peggy Coolidge, Mrs. Floribel Haines, Mrs. Lillian Bartlett, Mrs. Agnes Haines, Mrs. Maude Danforth and Mrs. Leona Curtis attended the Senior Citizens meeting Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Coolidge and daughter, Sarah, of Northwest Bethel were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Almon Coolidge.

Mr. and Mrs. Erland Ellingwood of West Paris, Mr. and Mrs. Perley Ellingwood of Dixfield and Miss Charlotte Cole of Greenwood visited Mrs. Leona Curtis during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tyler were in Portland Thursday.

Sylvia Conroy and Mary Carroll of Bethel and Elizabeth Jacobs of Everett, Mass., visited at the Bartlett Homestead Thursday.

Mrs. Lewis Smith and Miss Linda Roseberry were luncheon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Stearns in Rumford Corner, Friday.

James Kimball was an overnight guest of Chet Herrick in West Bethel, Friday.

Karen Crockett was an overnight guest of Velora Kimball Friday.

Mrs. June Stearns of Rumford Corner and Mrs. Charlotte Kimball of Locke Mills were luncheon

South Woodstock

— Olive Davis, Corres. —

Mrs. Craig Morgan has been called to her former home in Rutland, Vt., because of her father's illness. Dr. Gadoway suffered a heart attack.

Monday a southeastern storm blew over our area drifting snow in unbelievable places. The schools in town kept one hour then returned the children to their homes for safety. The storm disrupted schools in many places all the week. Caution is advised concerning the roofs of everyone's buildings and should be shovelled for the welfare of the property.

The ski areas are having a good business.

A house warming was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mason at their new home when about 80 friends visited with them, Jan. 15. Those from away were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mason, South Lancaster, Mass.; Elder and Mrs. Menshausen, Pownal; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kesaris, Lewiston and others from Bryant Pond, Oxford, Norway and West Paris.

A pre-bridal shower will be tendered Kelly Wing on the 23rd of January from 2 to 4 at the Legion hall at West Paris.

Oxford Pomona will meet with Franklin Grange, Bryant Pond, Feb. 1. A 6:30 supper will be served.

We're sorry to hear of the death of Rachel Curtis. Our sympathy is extended to the relatives. Jessie Andrews has been moved to the Ledgeview Memorial Home.

guests of Mrs. David Foster, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foster of Andover called on Mrs. David Foster Friday evening.

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CHURCH SERVICES

Bethel United Methodist Church
Rev. Ronald J. McKinstry
Organist

Miss Susan Hathaway
Administrative Board Chairman,
Richard L. Davis

Sunday:
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
10:30 a. m. Nursery during Wor-
ship Service.

Monday: Pastor's Study Group,
7:30 at the parsonage,
Wednesday.

10 a. m. Study Groups meet at
the home of Mrs. Burton Abbott.

West Parish
Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Church St., Bethel

Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor
Miss Mary Valentine, Organist

Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
Child care services available for
parents attending church. Nursery
class in Garland Chapel.

7 p. m. Senior High Youth Fel-
lowship.

Wednesday:
8:15-4:15 p. m. Church School
for Kindergarten-Grade 6. All are
welcome.

Thursday:
7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal in the
sanctuary.

Bethel Church of the Nazarene
Rev. Donald Smith, Interim Pastor
Reach out to Jesus — He is
reaching out to you.

Sunday:
10:00 a. m. Sunday School in
the downstairs chapel.

11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.
6:00 p. m. N.Y.P.S.
6:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

Wednesday: 6 p. m. Bible Study
and Prayer Meeting at the Church.
For transportation to any ser-
vice, please call Mrs. Geraldine
Mumma, 836-3354.

Our Lady of the Snows Church
Rev. Donald R. Proulx
29 Paris St., Norway
Tel. 743-2666

Saturday, 4:30 p. m. Holy Sacri-
fice of the Mass.

Chapel of Christ the King
Episcopal

Sundays at 7:45 p. m., Bethel
Savings Bank.

Bethel Gospel Center
at the Odd Fellows Hall
Pastor Edward Gammon

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10:00 a. m.
Youth Group, 5:00 p. m.

Evening Service, 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday:
Bible Study and Prayer Service,
7:30 p. m.

Locke Mills Union Church
Rev. David Wuori

Mrs. Richard Melville, Organist
Church services, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.

Bryant Pond Baptist Church
Linwood Hanson, Pastor

9:15 Sunday School.
10:30 Morning Worship Service.
6:00, Young Peoples' Meeting;
Junior Young Peoples', grades 4-
6; Word of Life Club, grades 7-12.

7:00, Evening Service.
Wednesday, Choir Practice,
8:15; Prayer Meeting, 7:00 p. m.

Woodstock Seventh-day
Adventist Church

Pastor: Elder William Menshausen
Saturday:
Sabbath School: 10:00 a. m.
Church Service: 11:30.

Prayer meeting: Tuesday even-
ing, 7:30.

West Paris Universalist Church
John Coyle, Minister

Mrs. Elaine Emery, Organist
Worship Service, 10 a. m.
Sunday School, 11 a. m.
L.R.Y., 6 p. m.

West Bethel Union Church
B. R. Griffith, Pastor

Mrs. Harriett Stowell, Organist
Sunday:
Sunday School, 9 a. m.
Morning Worship, 10 a. m.

Youth Fellowship, 6 p. m.
Evening Worship, 7 p. m.
Bible Study, Wednesday, 7 p. m.
Choir Rehearsal, Friday, 6:30 p. m.

Newry Community Church
Sunday:
Morning Worship, 9 a. m. Rod-
ney Hanson, Pastor. Robert Du-
ran, Pianist.

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.
Youth Group meets Sunday at
8:30 p. m.

OXFORD COUNTY
UNITED PARISH
Peter Parent, Pastor

Albany Congregational Church
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.
East Stoneham Congregational
Sunday:
9:00 a. m. Morning Worship.

9:30 a. m. Church School.
North Waterford Congregational
Sunday:
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.

10:30 a. m. Church School.
Faith Bible Church
Rumford Corner
Pastor, Bob Colby

Preaching the Finished Work
of Jesus Christ.

Services:
Sunday, 2:30 p. m.
Tuesday, 7:00 p. m.

Calvary Congregational Church
Andover, Maine
M. Lester Strout, Pastor

Mrs. Beverly White, Pianist
Mrs. Ralph Stinson, Choir Director

Sunday:
Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Bible-
centered lessons; Classes for all
ages; Adult class.
Worship Service, 10:45 a. m.

NOTICE

Due to an unforeseen heating
problem, services at the church of
the Nazarene will be held in the
downstairs chapel until further no-
tice.

First Congregational Church
United Church of Christ
Andover

Rev. David Wuori
Pastor
Mrs. Linda Burnham, Organist

Mrs. Shirley Fifield,
Music Director
Daniel Kraft,
Church School Superintendent

Donald Mixer,
Assistant Superintendent
Sunday: Morning Worship, 11 a.
m.

Sunday School, 11 a. m.
Wednesday: Ladies' Aid meets,
1:30 p. m.
Sanctuary Choir rehearses, 7:30
p. m.

Rumford Point
Congregational Church
Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor

Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist
Robert Parent,
Supt. of Church School

Sunday, Jan. 23:
9:30 a. m. Morning Worship
10:30 a. m. Fellowship Hour.
10:45 a. m. Church School.

Tuesday, Jan. 25: After School
— Girl Scouts at the church.
Wednesday, Jan. 26: After
School — Brownies at Church.

Thursday, Jan. 27: 6:30 p. m. —
Trop #509 of Boy Scouts at
church.

Community Church
(Full Gospel)
Interdenominational
East Andover Road
Rumford Center

Dr. J. Philip Jackson, Pastor
Wednesday, 7 p. m. Deeper Life
Bible Study.

Sunday, 10 a. m. Worship. Holy
Eucharist every Sunday.
7 p. m. Evangelistic and Healing.
Saturday, 7 p. m. Prayer Meet-
ing.

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Saturday, 7 p. m. Prayer Meet-
ing.

Christian Science Services
In all Christian Science Church-
es, the Lesson-Sermon read from
the desk is the same. The public is
cordially invited to attend.

Sunday, Jan. 23: Subject—Truth.
Golden Text: Psalms 146:5-6—
Happy is he that hath the God
of Jacob for his help, whose hope
is in the Lord his God; which made
heaven and earth, the sea, and
all that therein is: which keepeth
truth forever.

First Church of Christ Scientist,
corner of Main and Tenth Streets,
Berlin, N. H., holds Sunday morn-
ing services at 11 a. m., and Sun-
day School at the same hour for
pupils up to the age of 20 years.
The Wednesday evening meeting is
at 7:45, including testimonies of
healing.

**Christian Science Society, Nor-
way, 9 Stevens St., off Alport St.**
Sunday: Services and Sunday
School at 10:30 a. m.
2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 7:30 p.
m.

Wednesday evening includes tes-
timonies of healing.
You are cordially invited to at-
tend these services. Everyone is
welcome.

Spalding Memorial Ch. of I
Wilson's Mills
Rev. Delmer Parker, Jr.
Christian Worship Service, Sun-
day, 2 p. m.

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vices call 824-2828.

The Church of Jesus Christ
of Latter-day Saints
Oxford Branch—at the Branch
Chapel, Skeetfield Road, Oxford.

Sunday:
Priesthood, 9:00 a. m.
Sunday School, 10:15 a. m.
Sacrament Meeting, 11:45 p. m.

Tuesday:
Relief Society (Woman's Organi-
zation) 9 a. m.
Primary (3-12 year olds) 6:45
p. m.

M.I.A. (12-18 year olds) 7 p. m.
Holy Resurrection
Orchard Church
Rev. Michael Westberg
Petrograd Street

Berlin, New Hampshire 03570
Saturday, 7:00 p. m. Great Ves-
pers.
Sunday, 8:30 a. m. Divine Litur-
gy.

Feast days announced.

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Rumford Center

Several years ago a great actor
was asked to recite the twenty-
third psalm before a select audi-
ence. One of the guests was a re-
tired minister and the actor said
that he would recite it on condi-
tion that the minister, would do
the same thing immediately after.

"I!" said the preacher, in sur-
prise, "I am not an elocutionist,
but, if you wish it, I shall do so."

The actor began very impres-
sively. His voice and intonation
were perfect. He held his audience
spell-bound, and, as he finished, a
great burst of applause broke
from the audience. As it died away,
the old man stood to his feet
and began to declaim the same
Psalm. His voice was not remark-
able; his tone was not faultless;
but when he was finished, there
was not a dry eye in the crowd.

The actor spoke with a quiver-
ing voice: "Ladies and gentlemen,
I reached your ears; he has reach-
ed your hearts. I know the Psalm,
BUT HE KNOWS THE SHEP-
HERD!"

FOLK DANCE AT BRYANT POND
SATURDAY, JAN. 29

There will be a Folk Dance on
Saturday, Jan. 29, 7:30 p. m., at
the Woodstock Elementary School
gym. Traditional folk dances will
be taught by Lisa Shelman of the
Brunswick Folk Dance Group. Ev-
eryone is welcome to come and
learn some dances. You don't
have to be an expert to have fun.

Dances came from various coun-
tries and range from the very sim-
ple to the more complex. Snow
date will be Feb. 5.

HOSPITAL AUXILIARY
ELECTS OFFICERS

The Bethel Auxiliary of the
Rumford Community Hospital met
at the home of Barbara D. Brown
on Elm Street on Monday even-
ing, Jan. 17. The meeting opened
with President Barbara Godwin
presiding. One officer was absent
and 11 members in attendance.

A report of the successful food
and gifts sale held Friday, Dec.
10, was given. It was voted to
see what was needed most at the
children's ward at the Rumford
Community Hospital. A check will
be forwarded for same. This is
the local Auxiliary's project.

A spring dance and a rummage
sale was discussed. Final plans
will be announced at the February
meeting.

A slate of officers were pre-
sented by chairman Barbara D.
Brown, as follows: President, Bar-
bara Godwin; Vice President, Clair
Snyder; Treasurer, Ruth Ames,
and Secretary, Barbara D. Brown.
The slate was so voted for 1977.

The next meeting will be a
pot luck supper at Ruth Ames'
home on Broad Street, at 6 o'
clock on Feb. 7. Those attending
are to bring a hot dish or a salad.

Letters to the Editor
Dec. 31, 1976

To the Editor,
I would like to write about the
cops and the kids in town.

First of all, the cops in Bethel
are unfair. They won't do anything
to their relatives just because
they're related. So these kids are
homeless. They go out and get
away with anything.

But then the cops have their
favorites, that they'll pick up if
they go one mile over the speed
limit. They see a certain car come
into town, and they perk right up.
They'll watch every move they
make. As soon as they do the
slightest thing wrong BANG!

They'll nail the guy as hard as
he can. Sometimes they'll stop
him just because it's him. I'd like
to see what would happen if a
cop's relative drove a certain car
into town, without the cop know-
ing it, and do something wrong.

I really wonder what the cop
would do when he saw who it was
(after he stopped him).

Yes, you do hear the same
names over and over again, so they
must be doing something wrong,
right? No! You're wrong. The rea-
son you keep hearing these names
is because they're the cops' favor-
ites. The cops will pick them up
until they've got them off the
road forever. Then and only then
will they be happy.

If the citizens in this town
could only realize this, there
wouldn't be quite as many prob-
lems with the kids. But no, they
are kids and they do everything
wrong, they can't drive. Well, I'll
tell you, I've seen plenty of older
people who drive a lot worse than
the kids. Of course they're also
the ones who will complain even
more.

IT'S NOT FAIR TO ANYONE
TO BE PICKED UP, IS IT?

Sincerely,
The cops favorites—
In behalf of all of
us, George Morin

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS will
meet every Wednesday at 8 p. m.
at the Casco Bank Community
Room on Main Street — Call 875-
3895.

Bethel and Vicinity

— Mrs. Donald Walker, Corres. —
Mrs. Burton Abbott is at her
home following surgery at Rum-
ford Community Hospital.

Donald Young, Colorado, has
been a guest of his grandfather,
Ralph Young, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Littlefield
and Richie visited Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Dauphinette Sunday, in Hav-
erhill, Mass.

Harold Bean, former Bethel
town manager, is a surgical pa-
tient at Thayer Hospital, Water-
ville.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker
attended a farewell family supper
Saturday for Richard A. Walker,
at the home of his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Richard Walker, West
Bethel. Richard will leave for the
Great Lakes Naval Training Cen-
ter, Jan. 25.

Julie Bishop, Youngstown, Ohio,
has returned home following a
visit with her grandmother, Mrs.
Mary Bishop, and Mr. and Mrs.
Oscar Annis. While here she at-
tended the wedding of her cousin,
Scott Annis and Miss Wendy Plaw-
lock, on Jan. 8.

PUBLIC INVITED TO SERVICE
AT FAITH BIBLE CHURCH

Want to meet someone who
loves you just as you are? Every-
one is urged to gather at the Faith
Bible Church in Rumford Corner
on Saturday, Jan. 22, at 7:30 p. m.
where they is no communication
barrier and no generation gap.
Everyone is welcome.

COUNTY DEMOCRATS MET
AT BETHEL JAN. 13

The Oxford County Democratic
Committee met on Thursday, Jan.
13, in the Community Room of
the Bethel Savings Bank for its
regular business meeting. County
Chairman Paul McGuire presented
information on the 1977-78 County
Committee budget, and announced
that all municipal chairmen, and
key Democrats in unorganized
towns will receive a letter per-
taining to the budget before the
next meeting which will be held
in March.

Olive Moore reported on the
January meeting of the Demo-
cratic State Committee which was
held in Augusta on Jan. 8. Tickets
are still available for the Inaugu-
ral Ball for Maine to be held at
the Augusta Armory on Jan. 21.

Mrs. Moore also said that she,
Rep. Jim Wilfong and Paul Mc-
Guire are members of the State
Committee's Platform Policy Com-
mittee, working on items to be
submitted to the 108th Legislature
for their consideration. She stressed
that the Platform Policy Com-
mittee is most concerned with
suggestions contained in the 1976
Democratic Party Platform which
involve no cost to the state.

During 1977 the Oxford County
Democratic Committee will meet
every other month. At the Thurs-
day night meeting, a tentative
schedule was set up, which will
bring at least one meeting to all
areas of the county.

HIGH SCHOOL DEBATE
TOURNAMENT AT UMO
FEB. 11-12

The 29th annual Wofford G.
Gardner Debate Tournament for
Maine High School debaters will
be held Feb. 11-12 at the Univer-
sity of Maine at Orono, spon-
sored by UMO's speech communi-
cation department. Schools may be
represented by four teams, al-
though not more than three may
be entered in any one division.

The debate proposition will be:
Resolved, That a comprehensive
program of penal reform should
be adopted throughout the United
States. Entries must be returned
to tournament director Dr. Dwayne
Van Rhee, speech department
chairman, by Monday, Feb. 7.

SCHOOL
LUNCH MENU

S. A. D. #44—WEEK OF JAN. 24

Monday: Sloppy Joe on rice or
biscuit, green beans, juice, pears,
bread and peanut butter, milk.

Tuesday: Vegetable-beef stew,
tomato juice, Congo bars, mixed
breads and butter, milk.

Wednesday: Fishburger, cab-
bage salad, cheese slice, peaches,
milk.

Thursday: Salisbury pattie and
gravy, mashed potato, corn, pud-
ing, muffin and butter, milk.

Friday: Macaroni and cheese,
hot dog, beets, orange sections,
hot cinnamon bun, milk.

TURN ON'S

LADY, I
HAVEN'T
EATEN IN
SIX DAYS.

WOW!!
SURE WISH
I HAD YOUR
WILL POWER!

LOOKING BACK

10 YEARS AGO
The Oxford County Development
Commission announced that 25-40
would be employed at a shoe con-
cern to be located in the former
Bennett's Garage in Bethel.

Nearly 40 interested area resi-
dents attended a meeting on com-
munity planning for emergencies
held at the Crescent Park School.
It was conducted by the Universi-
ty of Maine Continuing Education
Division.

Town Manager and Mrs. Michael
Houlihan were guests at an "ap-
preciation" supper given by mem-
bers of the Bethel fire depart-
ment. Mr. Houlihan was to assume
a similar post in Freeport.

Temperatures of -18° F. were
reported in the Bethel area.

Deaths: Mrs. Earlene W. Her-
tell, Mrs. Agnes M. Pike, Mrs.
Helga E. Mulligan.

20 YEARS AGO
The Chicken Coop Restaurant in
Mexico was damaged an estimated
\$3,000 when water from a burst
water main poured into the res-
taurant.

Guy P. Butler, Bethel Inn, was
guest of honor at the 35th anni-
versary of the State of Maine Pub-
licity Bureau in Portland.

The home of Rodney Chase
and family at South Bethel was
totally destroyed by fire. Some
furnishings were saved. One of
the older structures in town, the
building had once served as a
tavern in stagecoach days.

Crescent Park School and the
Primary School were closed for
two days due to the extreme cold;
reported as the coldest in 35 years.

Deaths: Perry A. Bean, Charles
E. Wheeler, Arthur N. Stowell.

30 YEARS AGO
The Bethel Chamber of Com-
merce was interested in making
Bethel a winter sports center. Wil-
bur Myers headed a committee on
ways and means to attract the
sports enthusiast.

Rev. Kingsley Hawthorne and
John P. Howe were serving as as-
sistant Scoutmasters.

Deaths: Edward P. Fuller.

40 YEARS AGO
The traveling was reported as
unusually icy from many sections.
Gerard Williams was installed as
Master of the Bethel Grange.

Deaths: Mrs. Fannie E. Hunt,
Reginald Robinson.

50 YEARS AGO
L. W. Ramsell Co. installed a
Frigidaire cooler in their store.
(Now the location of The Window
Box and Wool 'n Weft Fabric Shop).

The carpenter work on Arthur
Herrick's new house on Vernon
Street was nearly completed.

Deaths: Roy Burris.

EVANS NOTCH DISTRICT HAS
TWO POSITIONS AVAILABLE
UNDER SCSEP

The Evans Notch Ranger District
of the White Mountain National
Forest has two part time posi-
tions available under the Senior
Community Services Employment
Program (SCSEP).

This program, also known as the
Older Americans Program, is in-
tended to provide part time work,
usually three days per week, for
persons who are over 55 years of
age and fall below certain annual
income levels.

Anyone meeting the above qual-
ifications who is interested should
stop in at the U. S. Forest Service
office on Bridge Street in Bethel.

CARD OF THANKS
Our sincere appreciation to the
Andover Volunteer Fire Depart-
ment and our neighbors for res-
ponding so quickly to our call and
for the magnificent efficiency with
which they saved our home.

Thank you.
Albert and Evelyn Bell
East Andover

**THE FIRSTEST...
...AND THE FASTEST
...WITH THE MOSTEST!**

When Quality & Service count, check your American Commu-
nity Service phone book cover, and call on business members
displaying this seal.

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Twenty-five words or less, one week, \$1.50; additional weeks without charge, \$1.00. More than 25 words, six cents per word the first week; additional weeks, four cents per word.

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Refrigerators; gas stoves; water heaters, gas and electric; electric stoves. Call 824-2801.

FOR SALE - 1969 VW Squareback, currently gets 33-34 miles per gallon. \$500.00 or best offer. Tel. Bryant Pond 101.

MAKE beaten down carpet nap at doorways bright and fluffy again with Blue Lustre. Brooks Bros., Inc. 824-2158.

FOR SALE: 1975 Ford Pick-up \$3850. Clean, no rust, 4 W. D. Hi & Lo Range Automatic self locking hubs, Power Steering, Auto transmission, New Tires, A. M. Radio, 360 V-8 engine, step & toe rear bumper. Never plovered. May be seen days only. ANDOVER WOOD PRODUCTS, INC., Andover, Maine.

1974 ELAN SKI DOO, excellent condition, \$500. GEORGE A. OLSON, 824-2368.

1976 Gran Torino Wagon, auto, trans, power S&B, low mileage; good selection of new 4x4 Ford pickup trucks, new and used cars and trucks, all prices reduced. Contact Ralph Perry, 935-2333 or Holden Bros., Fryeburg, 935-2700.

ONE 1975 FORD GRANADA, 4 new belted tires, 35,000 miles. Price \$3,000 negotiable. One 1974 Kawasaki 400 cc, 14,000 miles. Price \$850.00 negotiable. Call after 6, 824-2919 or 836-3284.

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1973 TORINO STATION WAGON

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WANTED - Experienced two-man woods crew capable of producing 50-70 cords per week. We furnish skidder. BRYCE H. 3

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All types of upholstery done, antique and modern. Free pickup and delivery. Large selection of fabrics. Contact GLEN'S UPHOLSTERY, 21 Market Sq., South Paris, Maine. Tel. 743-2683. 251f

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KOCH/TOKLE SKI MEET

Held at RUMFORD JAN. 16

The Bill Koch Togle Tokle Ski Meet was held Sunday, Jan. 16 at Black Mountain, Rumford, with hosts. There were 52 competitors placing in the following order:

Cross Country

Fee Wee Class:

1. Nancy Miller 0:53; 2. Sandra Morton 1:01; 3. Jon Varuolo 1:20; 4. Patti Ann Jaro 1:21; 5. Marnie Norris 5:39.

Class V:

Girls: 1. Emily Gammon 18:05; 2. Kim Deans 18:19; 3. Deanna Fogg 18:52; 4. Allison Belanger 19:18; 5. Kirsten Froburg 19:21.

Boys: 1. Brian Fogg 15:21; 2. Gary Broomhall 15:29; 3. Stacy Gammon 15:35; 4. Ricky Bodwell 15:41; 5. Jon Akers 15:45; 6. Scott Nichols 18:13; 7. Mike Varuolo 21:00; 8. Marie Miller 21:13; 9. Paul Hutchins 22:42; 10. Lee Mars-ton 24:15.

Class IV:

Girls: 1. Holly Pidsacks 18:36; 2. Brenda Broomhall 19:27; 3. Heidi Gatz 19:42; 4. Deane Bodemer 20:38; 5. Rose Marie Tardiff 21:52; 6. Sue Zink 22:48; 7. Debbie Sayward 23:13; 8. Kathy Broomhall 22:45.

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Andover**EAST ANDOVER**

—Mrs. Marjorie Jodrey, Corres.—

Nomination papers for elected municipal officials are now available at the office of the town clerk, Harvey McGuire. Positions requiring the filing of nomination papers are selectman, assessor and overseer of the poor, treasurer, tax collector, town clerk, fire chief, road commissioner, and director of SAD 44. Candidates must secure the signatures of at least 25, but not more than 75, registered voters and have their returns in the hands of the town clerk on or before Feb. 11. Annual town meeting is scheduled for Saturday, March 5.

Dog owners are reminded that dog taxes are now due and are also available at the town clerk's office. 1977 hunting and fishing licenses may be purchased at Dave's Market.

Mrs. Louise Mills is a patient in intensive care at Rumford Community Hospital. Also patients at the hospital are Howard Averill, John Jodrey and Mrs. Howard Glover.

Snow Valley Sno-goers held a membership pot luck supper at the town hall, Jan. 18. A short business meeting was held after the supper.

Brownie Troop #53 meetings have been changed from Friday after school to Mondays after school starting Jan. 17.

Mrs. Joan Coolidge of Bethel is recuperating from a bout with the flu at the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Coolidge.

Vicki Lyn Hutchins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Hutchins, celebrated her fourth birthday, Jan. 18, at her home. Both sets of grandparents were present, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hutchins and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Coolidge.

Mrs. Robert Hutchins and her assistant, Mrs. Marcel Chartier, of the Brownie Troop #53; Mrs. Lorenzo Miller and her assistant, Mrs. Robert Melvin of the Junior Girl Scouts attended a Girl Scout Leadership meeting in Bethel, Jan. 17.

Walter McHugh was guest Sunday of his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nevel.

Not much news this week on account of cold weather, sickness and so much snow.

The first meeting of the new year of the Andover Friday Club was held Jan. 13 at the home of Mrs. Virginia Daigle with 16 members and one guest in attendance. President Josephine Poor presided over the business meeting. Discussion centered on the upcoming evening meeting, Feb. 17, with Dr. Charles MacGregor which will be open to the public. Watch for announcements soon. Hostess Mrs. Daigle presented an interesting program on "Depression Glass". To augment her talk, Mrs. Daigle had assembled a mixed grouping of depression glass from her collection. Many members also brought glassware to add to the display. Those attending were: Josephine Poor, Marie Nuppula, Madeline Wentzell, Florence Hall, Dorothy Greenlow, Florence Michaud, Gerry Marston, Thelma Kraft, Alys Parsons, Florence Kraft, Dorothy Campbell, Marie Lang, Anne Fox, Gertrude Percival, co-hostess Betsy Mixer, guest Polly Johnston, and Mrs. Daigle. Mrs. Pearl Peaslee received word of the death of her son-in-law, Ashley Guild, husband of her youngest daughter, Ileen. Sympathy is extended her and the family.

Mrs. John Percival and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Falkenham were in Skowhegan Monday on business. "Mother Goose" school was held Tuesday morning. Mrs. Martha Cronin and Mrs. Sharon Hutchins as teachers. A good attendance despite cold and windy weather.

Andover Congregational Church Holds Annual Meeting
Thirty-one members braved sub-zero temperatures Jan. 12 to attend the annual meeting of the parish. After a pot luck supper

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E. L. OVER TELSTAR IN SKIING

Edward Little swept all three events in a two-way ski meet against Telstar on Saturday, Jan. 8, in Auburn.

Lost Valley was the sight of the Alpine events in which E. L. scored 100 points in both the slalom and giant slalom, Telstar scoring 94.60 in slalom and 96.45 in G. S. Ron Emery of E. L. was the individual slalom taking first in both events with a time of 62.3 in the slalom and 58.8 in G. S. Coutts of E. L. was second in both events and Cobb of E. L. was third. Telstar's best finisher in the slalom was Mike Rosenberg in sixth with 65.1 Steve Cross was ninth in G. S. for Telstar with 58.7.

In the afternoon jumping E. L. squeaked by Telstar 95.45 to 94.60. Brad Malo of E. L. took first with 141.6 pt. Mike Dunn of Telstar was second with 137.4 and Dave Webster third, 125.6.

Slalom: (1) Emery (EL) 62.3; (2) Coutts (EL) 62.8; (3) Cobb (EL) 63.3; (4) Malo (EL) 63.8; (5) W. Hird (EL) 64.0; (6) Rosenberg (T) 65.1; (10) the Chase (T) S. Morrill (T); (12) T. Cross (T); (14) Smith (T)

G. S.: (1) Emery (EL) 58.8; (2) Coutts (EL) 58.9; (3) Cobb (EL) 57.2; (4) Hird (EL) 57.4; (5) Davis (EL) 57.6; (9) S. Cross (T); (11) T. Reed (T); (12) Rosenberg (T)

Jump: (1) Malo (EL) 141.6; (2) Dunn (T) 137.4; (3) Webster (T) 125.6; (4) Cobb (E. L.); (5) Emery (EL); (6) Bodwell (T); (7) Downs (T)

enjoyed by all, the meeting was called to order by Moderator Roger Mills, Sr., at 7:30 p. m.

Convening prayer was offered by Rev. David Wuori, pastor. Reports from officers and committees were received and accepted.

Under business for the new year the church voted to paint the steeple, purchase a heating rod to protect the sanctuary piano and purchase a mimeograph machine. A budget of \$13,111 was accepted for 1977. A new Sunday School semester under Superintendent (Mrs. Theodore) Eleanor Tracy will begin on the first Sunday of February. Registrations are now being received for classes pre-school through nine.

The following church officers and committees were elected to serve in 1977:

Moderator, Dolly Jones; Clerk, Marie Lang; Treasurer, Donald French; Collector, Joyce Morgan; Board of Deacons, Ralph Summerton and Frank Morgan; Deaconesses, Ann Fox and Margaret Learned; Standing Committee at Large, Laura Learned and Beverly Swan; Trustees, Ray Learned, Fred Greenlow, Howard Marston, Donald French, Robert Swain; Key Woman, Louise Mills, Benevolence Treasurer, Dolly Jones; Pulpit Committee, Frances Poor, Roberta Learned, Linda Percival, Louise Mills, Florence Sidelinger, Geraldine Marston, Jean Dunning; Music, Harriette Sauret, Roger Mills, Gertrude Percival; Sunday School Superintendent, Ellie Tracy; Hospitality and Flowers, Ann Fox, Frances Poor, Jean Dunning; Finance Committee, Bert Summerton, Thelma Clark, Dan Kraft; Cradle Roll, Linda Percival; Social Action Committee, Roger and Louise Mills, Thelma Clark, Josephine Poor and Doris Howard; Nominating Committee, Doris French, Florence Kraft, Roger Mills, Sr.

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Hanover

—Pam Morton, Corres.—

Connie Ellingwood was a house guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Ellingwood, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hayden of Poland were at their camp in Hanover over the week end.

Marjorie Cummings was admitted to the hospital on Thursday with pneumonia.

The David Morton family attended a birthday supper for Mark Bancroft of Paris Hill on Saturday. The party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hastings of East Bethel. The Bancroft, Gamble and Hastings families were also there, and everyone had a nice visit.

Thanks are extended to those who have ordered Girl Scout Cookies. Your support is helping to keep the Girl Scout troops in Hanover running.

The teachers in the Rumford Point Church conducted a nice service, complete with slide show, last Sunday.

The David Morton family went to their camp in Naples on Sunday afternoon, then went to North Windham for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morton.

REBELS ARE 46-37 LOSERS AT DIXFIELD FRIDAY

Dirigo gained the second win of the season by a Valley team against a Mountain opponent when it defeated visiting Telstar 46-37 in a game played Friday. The win leaves the Cougars 5-5 on the year. Telstar falls to 2-8.

No one scored in double figures in the game. Dirigo was led by Kurt Ellis, Art Merrill and Reg Weston who had eight. Brian Flynn was tops for Telstar with eight also.

The key to the game was the scrappy defense of Dirigo. The Cougars forced Telstar into many turnovers and poor shot selection. As usual, the Cougars went into a stall for the last four minutes of the game.

Dirigo (46)	g	f	p
K. Ellis	4	0	0
Luce	0	0	0
Merrill	4	0	0
Kilbreth	1	0	2
Diconzo	2	0	4
D. Ellis	2	0	4
Weston	4	0	8
Clark	3	0	6
Lafleur	0	0	0
Roberson	2	0	4
Totals	23	0	46
Telstar (37)	g	f	p
Cummings	3	1	7
Kendall	2	2	6
Douglass	0	2	2
Poland	1	2	4
Bolio	3	1	7
Seames	1	1	3
Flynn	3	2	8
Totals	13	11	37
Dirigo	8	26	34
Telstar	8	15	29
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West Bethel

—Mrs. Lona Gilbert, Corres.—

The weather here has been very cold. The big storm of Monday last week and the snow squalls and flurries during the week, kept town and state crews busy. Zero reading at 6:30 this Monday morning. Sun is out and not much wind. This has been reported as the worst winter in the last 100 years all over the United States, by past weather statistics.

The Ladies Chapel Aid meeting which was to be held at Sheila Heads, Jan. 12, was cancelled, on account of bad weather and illness of some members. The February meeting will be held on the 9th at Sheila's, weather permitting.

Pleasant Valley Grange will convene at the hall on Thursday, Jan. 27, weather permitting with supper at 6:00 and meeting, 7:30.

Edward Casey of Peaks Island came on Tuesday of last week to pick up Mrs. Casey who had spent a week visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bean. The storm that hit Peaks Island last Monday was reported worse than the one that hit that area in 1968. While Mrs. Casey was here, Mrs. Bean and Mrs. Casey visited their aunt, Violet Bennett at Ledgeview Memorial Home, West Paris. They found her as good as could be expected, also saw Miss Lillian Lovejoy, who was pleased to see them.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bean and family of Locke Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Littlefield of Bethel were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bean and Mrs. Casey on Sunday, Jan. 9.

Ray West who underwent surgery at Veterans Hospital, Togus, for a ruptured disk in his back, is reported to be making a satisfactory recovery. Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy, Mrs. West and little daughter, Rebecca, were in Togus Sunday to visit him. He was able to come down to the lobby to visit with them, although pretty stiff and sore yet from the surgery.

Miss Candy Bennett expected to return to classes at U. of M-Farmington, on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Boyd visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Boyd in Harrison on Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Head returned the

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last of the week from a visit with relatives in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Alanson Lovejoy (Tyrene) is having trouble with blood clots in her legs. Reported some better.

Mrs. Reginald Gilbert (Carolyn) expected to return to work the first of this week. She had been home for a few days, after receiving severe burns on one of her hands from hot glue at Ekco Co., Locke Mills, where she is employed.

Miss Arlynn Gilbert broke the middle finger on her right hand last week trying to start a snow machine.

Several in town have been confined with bad colds the past week.

Mrs. Robert Gilbert (Linda) was in Farmington on Wednesday of last week to visit a girl friend, who was a patient at Farmington hospital after being injured in an automobile accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker gave a party on Saturday evening, Jan. 15, for their son, Richard, who has joined the U. S. Navy and will leave Portland on Jan. 25 for Great Lakes Training Center, Ill. A supper was served to the guests

by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker. Attending the party were: Mr. and Mrs. Donald Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert, Miss Roberta Gilbert, Yves Wild and children, Beverly, Joan, Yves Jr., and Joseph, Edward C. Wild and Mrs. Margaret Landry, Miss Hilda Wild, Betty, John and Ruth, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Arquette, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Head and children, Jane and Marietta, Miss Robin Snyder, Richard A. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Walker. Richard has the best wishes of all relatives, neighbors and friends.

Chester (Ted) Wheeler is a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway. His sister, Esther Strughold of Redwood City, Calif., arrived Sunday for a two weeks visit. Her brother, Albert Wheeler, of Concord, N. H., met her in Boston and brought her to the Wheeler home in West Bethel. He returned home Sunday.

Dennis Wheeler received a severe cut on the fourth finger of his right hand recently while working on a saw at his home in West Bethel. It took 27 stitches to close the wound. They are in hopes to save his finger.

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Karen L. Brown

During the past week in Augusta, legislative committee work began and Governor Longley delivered his Budget Message. In the Governor's message I was particularly pleased that he has proposed such items as \$2 million for tax and rent relief for the elderly, \$1.6 million for free drugs for our older citizens and funds for additional state troopers. These could be provided not by new taxes but by savings "within government from the economy, efficiency and effectiveness we have tried to bring to government." I was also encouraged by the fact that he is proposing legislation to "limit spending to our ability to pay" in order "to avoid future spending deficits which overburden our citizens with taxes and which have a harmful effect on our business climate." In addition Gov. Longley paid tribute to the Save Our State and Towns for Fair Taxation organizations for "focusing attention on the problem of inequity in our property taxes, and they have challenged the spend, spend, spend philosophy of some of those connected with education." Other recommendations by the Governor deserving some consideration were:

- A \$6 million tax cut through the elimination of the sales tax on residential electricity
- The creation of a Maine Economic Development Corporation "to assist us in finding more and better jobs for the people of Maine."
- A voucher system to allow deserving students to receive state grants to attend any post secondary school of their choice.
- An additional \$20 million for human services "to maintain current programs and to meet increased costs in practically every area, particularly in the medical care program."

One of my foremost concerns at the moment is the problem of "sovereign immunity" which is receiving high priority in the 100th Legislature. You undoubtedly will be hearing about it frequently in the next few weeks. "Sovereign immunity" is a legal doctrine which holds that a municipal, county, or state governmental body cannot be held liable for the acts of its agents unless it consents to such a liability.

For example, until recently if you were driving along the highway and a state employee carrying out his official duties rammed his car into yours, the state was not obligated to pay you damages; the state might pay, but they didn't have to do so. The last session of the legislature passed a law which specifically made governmental bodies responsible for damages in motor vehicle accidents where a government employee was responsible.

"Sovereign Immunity" is not a statute that is on the books—it is a judicially created doctrine that has grown from the English Common Law. For some years now, the Maine State Supreme Court has been urging the Legislature to deal with this problem and in a recent case the Court has forced our hand.

In Davies versus the City of Bath, the Court held that the Bath Water District could not use the doctrine of Sovereign Immunity to avoid paying damages to a man whose basement was flooded when a water main burst. The Court also stated that the legislature must act before February 1, 1977 to pass laws on the subject or there would be no Sovereign Immunity at all, opening the door to all kinds of law suits. Our problem now is to determine when governmental bodies have absolute immunity from suit except in certain specified instances still to be determined. Whatever we do, there is no question that municipal, county and state governmental bodies will

Magalloway & Wilson's Mills
Mrs. Bertha West, Corres.

Elva Johnston went to Colebrook Wednesday to visit her parents, the Claude Linnell Sr.'s. A portion of the roof of the covered bridge over the Magalloway River fell in Monday night after the heavy snow storm. The bridge crew is coming right away to repair it.

Marjorie Littlehale went to the Upper Connecticut Valley Hospital Thursday for treatment and home, Friday.

Ilsa McGinley is going on a trip to Bermuda, starting this week, with her son, Bruce.

Warren Bennett is plowing the town roads today.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Glover and family spent the day Saturday in Berlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael White and son, Scott, spent the week end with her parents, the Herman Kennes.

Leon Bennett was brought back to the Cozy Inn nursing home by ambulance from the St. Mary's Hospital Wednesday where he has been for over a month from a broken hip. He was 91 years old last July.

I have three deer coming here by my trailer to be fed. They are also trimming up my cedar tree for dessert.

We got a little snow Sunday forenoon, about two inches. Seemed more like feathers (frost). Elise Littlehale is reported ill with the flu.

I can hear chain saws and skidders across the river each day. Michael Turner is logging on the so-called Smith lot for Rolfe Bennett.

The State Deputy Grange Master will be visiting our Grange next Saturday evening.

North Woodstock
Mrs. Linda Fraser, Corres.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis and Mrs. Linda Fraser and Mary were at Stephens Memorial Hospital Thursday to visit Robert Davis who was operated on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Davis, and Dawn were there Thursday evening. Robert returned Saturday.

Mrs. Norma Heikinen, Mrs. Dot Smith and Ernest Smith, West Paris, called on Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cole and Rebecca Ricker, Thursday, Friday, Mrs. Linda Fraser and Mary called on the Coles.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Seguin and Velora called on Mrs. Linda Fraser and Mary Friday.

Raymond "Peanut" Robbins has been scraping and painting woodwork and the floor of the North Woodstock Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Billings and Shane were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Davis, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hemingway entertained at Sunday dinner, Mrs. Hazel Cary, Mrs. Rebecca Keen and Leslie.

be forced to buy insurance protection to cover themselves, as the Court will not permit the absolute sovereign immunity of past years. I know this is a prime concern of the towns in my district and will make every effort to obtain passage of the best possible legislation to alleviate the problem.

Any citizen wishing to contact me during the session can write to me: Box 17, State House, Augusta, Maine 04333 or call the office of the Clerk of the House, 289-2866 and they will take a message and I'll get back to you. Also anyone interested in new legislation should get in touch with me immediately since the deadline on submitting new bills is Jan. 28.

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North East Lovell
Pauline Smith, Corres.

Carolyn Knights and Rose Young visited her folks Wednesday, had dinner, later called on Carolyn's sister, Beverly Bassett at Lovell village.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Estes from Brunswick were at their home here. Came to shovel off the roofs.

Leroy and Pauline Smith visited at Errol Barker's Friday evening. Pauline Smith called on Hazel Allen and Helen Guimond Saturday afternoon.

Guess we had 14 inches of snow Monday, Jan. 10. The plows worked hard to keep a road open.

Mrs. Frank Garvey is gaining after having pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Weeks from Massachusetts spent the week end at the Belaska home.

Who doesn't have enough snow? I stepped off my snowshoes and nearly lost a leg.

The Morrison children were around selling calendars for the Girl Scouts.

Stephen Fox visited the week end at Auburn with his friend Bruce Wyman.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Smith had

North Paris
Eveline Barrett, Corres.

No comments on last week's weather except we had a nice feed of dandelions while the snow and wind was blowing. They taste better in a blizzard.

John O'Hearon moved all of his

a nice call at Gordon Eastman's Saturday evening. Other callers were Bill Bryant and family.

Zero and wind, seems like 15 below. I now have two pair pole's birds. They are very small and feed out on the coldest days.

I like this hope you do.

It snowed last night, I cleaned a spot in my yard, to put grain for the birds. The birds came later in the morning to feed.

As night grew cold, I wondered, where do the birds stay at night, especially in an ice storm.

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stock Saturday and they stepped right along after they waded through the high drift near the road.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Birney, South Paris, called on their cousin, Evelyn Barrett and Joe, Sunday.

We are sorry to hear of the passing away of Mrs. Rachel Hutchinson of Portland, native of North Paris, and we extend our sincere sympathy to her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Card, Norway, called at the Lawrences Saturday to show them their new car.

Jeffrey and Jim Coffin, Stevie Millett, Richard Andrews also called. The three boys had a sliding party. Doris was absent from work two days with a bad cold.

Root Lawrence worked at the Feldspar Mill some this past week.

This nice Monday morning the wind blows the light snow at times and it is cool but we are going to strike out for the doctor and McDonald's, so if you fail to find North Paris news next week you will know that we didn't make Trap Corner Hill. Not much news, only the weather.

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ROGER L. FOSTER

Roger L. Foster, of Paradise Street, Bethel, died early Tuesday, Jan. 18, 1977, at the Rumford Community Hospital.

He was born at Newry, Nov. 19, 1909, the son of Robert and Mary Jackson Foster. A life-long resident of the Bethel area, he was employed for 25 years by the Oxford Paper Company, retiring in 1973. In 1928 he married Beatrice Applebee, who died in 1969.

Surviving are his widow, Mary P. Foster of Bethel; a daughter, Mrs. Helen Saucier of Portland; two sons, David of Chelmsford, Mass.; Trafton of Wilmington, Del.; four sisters, Mrs. Agnes Chase, Mrs. Dorothy Horne, Mrs. Irene Russell, all of Hanover; Mrs. Isabel Roberts of Bethel; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Services will be held Friday at 2 p. m. from the Greenleaf funeral home, Dale Thurston officiating. Interment will be in the spring.

JOHN S. GEORGE

John S. George of Rahway, N. J., died at the East Orange Veterans' Hospital on Dec. 28, 1976. He was born July 31, 1923 in Michigan City, Ind., and lived in Chicago before moving to Rahway, 10 years ago.

He was a World War II Coast Guard veteran and a member of Rahway Post #5 American Legion.

Mr. George was a mechanical designer for the Jacobson Engineering Co., Mountaineer, N. J.

His survivors are his widow, the former Helen Williamson of Bethel and Newry, four daughters, Bonny, (Mrs. Gary J. Conrad), Hazel and Evelyn, all of Rahway and Phyllis, (Mrs. Jay G. Conrad) of Summit, N. J., his father, John N. George and one grandson, Shawn C. Conrad.

MRS. EMMA E. PERHAM

Mrs. Emma E. Perham of South Woodstock, died at her home early Wednesday morning.

She was born at Greenwood, Dec. 15, 1890, daughter of Francis and Robie Hewett Verrill. She received her education in Greenwood and West Paris schools and was married to Nelson A. Perham, April 6, 1908. He died Nov. 25, 1962. Mrs. Perham was a practical nurse and besides caring for the sick in their homes she had opened her own home to care for the elderly, for the sick and for children in need. She later worked at the Norway Silt Factory. She was correspondent for the Advertiser-Democrat in Norway for 40 years and was a member of the Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church.

Survivors include a son, Norman, South Woodstock; a sister, Mrs. Thelma Piles, West Paris; a brother, Sidney Verrill, Lebanon, Mo.; granddaughter and two great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at the I. W. Andrews & Son funeral home, South Woodstock, with spring interment at Riverside Annex Cemetery, South Paris.



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"Teaching Children with Special Needs" is the name of an educational television 16-week series to be presented on Channel 10 this semester.

Sponsored by the Maine Department of Educational and Cultural Services, the program carries 3 re-certification credits for teachers who fulfill the expectations set up by the DECS, and will allow participation, and fully development of awareness and skill by others who are involved in work with children.

Locally, the series will be viewed at the Lecture Hall at Telstar Regional High School, Wednesday afternoons at 3:30, starting with the January 26 showing. This is a change of day from the schedule originally published in the ITV Program Guide.

As part of the requirements for the re-certification credits, participants will attend the 16 half-hour televiewings and accompanying seminar sessions. Active involvement with the weekly themes will add to the sharing of information, and application of these skills to daily programs in which the seminar members are working.

Natalie Timberlake will be local Seminar leader. Arthur Froberg, District 44 Special Education Coordinator is coordinator of arrangements for the course. Any persons who are interested in joining the Seminar series are urged to attend the first meeting at which time the film will present an overview of the major segments to be discussed during the series. According to the schedule, there will not be any meetings during February and April vacations.

There is no cost for this, it being financed by a Federal grant to the Maine DECS; and no commitment to take the course needs to be made until the first meeting date, at which time course materials will be distributed.

TOWN CHAIRMEN NAMED
FOR MARCH OF DIMES
1977 CAMPAIGN

At a recent organizational meeting in Bethel, the following Town Chairmen were elected to serve on the 1977 March of Dimes Campaign:

Andover, Mrs. Otis Morton, assisted by Mrs. Robert Swain; Bethel, Mrs. Richard Harding; Dixfield, Mrs. Tim Kelly, 11 Blayne Street; Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gaudet, R.F.D., Rumford; Rumford, Mother's March—Mrs. James Anastasio, 440 Knot St., Radio Auction—Don Roach; Peru, Mrs. Robert Dolloff, West Peru; Hanover, Mrs. Robert Parent; West Sumner, Mrs. Pauline Kirschner; Wilton's Mills, LeRoy Olson; Locke Mills, Mrs. Harry Swan, Jr.

Treasurers: Bethel, Charles Hurd; Rumford Area: Mrs. Gladys Gilbert. Publicity Director, Ken Ellis.

The campaign will be conducted during the month of January under the direction of Chapter Chairman Leland R. Brown of Bethel.

BORN

In Norway, Dec. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Steve Walker (Shirley Merrill) of East Bethel, a son, Michael Paul.

In Norway, Jan. 12, to Mr. and Mrs. John Provencher, a daughter, Jacklyn Ann.

DIED

In South Woodstock, Jan. 19, Mrs. Emma E. Perham, aged 86 years.

In East Orange, N. J., Dec. 28, John S. George, of Rahway, N. J., aged 53 years.

In Rumford, Jan. 18, Roger L. Foster of Bethel, aged 67 years.

OXFORD COUNTY G. O. P. TO
HOLD LINCOLN DAY DINNER
AT BETHEL INN

At their monthly meeting Jan. 11 at South Paris, the Oxford County Republican Committee voted to hold their annual Lincoln Day Dinner at the Bethel Inn. A report was made prior to the vote by Mrs. Evelyn Bean, Woodstock, who had been asked to explore county locations for this dinner.

The date is Saturday, Feb. 12. A roast beef dinner will be served. Mrs. Bean will be assisted by Bethel Town Committee members, Mrs. Louise Lincoln and Mrs. Barbara Brown. Tickets will be available from each Town Chairperson. State Committeemen Andrews, and Norman Ferguson Sr., will secure speakers for this event. Each County Committee member is urged to invite a young couple from their area to attend.

Tom Klinepeter of Fryeburg, reported his tentative plans for his committee to seek youth participation in county politics. State Committeeman Phillip Andrews, Fryeburg, reported on the last meeting of the State G. O. P. Committee.

Stuart Martin will explore possible meeting places in Bethel for the March meeting to be held Friday evening to permit attendance of the Legislative members from the county.

Nine towns were represented at this meeting by 16 people, and also six guests.

TEEN CHALLENGE TO APPEAR
AT BETHEL GOSPEL CENTER

Boston Teen Challenge will be at the Bethel Gospel Center on Sunday, Jan. 23, at 10 a. m.

Teen Challenge is a Christian drug rehabilitation program where young people with drug, crime, and emotional problems can find the help they need through the application of spiritual principles. Founded in Brooklyn, N. Y., by Rev. David Wilkerson, Teen Challenge now has centers in nearly every major city in the United States and Canada.

Twelve young men who have been delivered from their drug problems will be sharing their experience with the congregation at the Gospel Center. The public is invited.

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WEST BETHEL
CHILDREN'S CENTER

It has been announced that Kathy Taylor has been selected as the new Community Aide. She is replacing Louise Charman who has recently moved to the West Coast.

Monday night, Denis Corrin led an informal discussion with a group of interested parents, teachers and concern citizens. The topic centered around "the needs of young children". Everyone had an enjoyable and informative evening.

This week's activities have centered around "houses and little places we feel comfortable in". With the aid of tapes and stories the children have enjoyed building cardboard houses, houses made with blankets, houses on paper, and as is done every day, a chance for free play, which enables the child to master the adult world in his/her own way, at his/her own pace. A field trip to the Bethel Animal Hospital is planned and also this week the children have been enjoying a slide and cassette series entitled "Sometimes I Feel" which is designed to help children become aware of their feelings.

Lunch Menu—Week of Jan. 24

Monday: Veal patties, noodles, green beans, cole slaw, corn nut brownies, milk.

Tuesday: Baked salmon loaf, cream and egg sauce, biscuits, peas, carrot salad, fruit salad with whipped cream, milk.

Wednesday: V-8 juice, macaro-

West Paris

Mrs. Marian Chase, Corres. — Mrs. Madlyn Herrick has received word that her son, Robert, who is in the U. S. Air Force is hospitalized in Guam with a heart attack.

The Mollycokett Sportsman's Club enjoyed a cook out and ride Sunday at the Kangas camp in Greenwood. The club will hold a mystery ride Friday night, members to meet at the home of Warren Emery at 7 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase and Nestor Ruokolainen were in Greenwood Sunday to shovel off their camp roof which they found quite deep with snow.

Mrs. Myrtle Downing and Louie Coffin have returned home from the hospital.

Mrs. Verna Cole is a patient at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

The Ed Hiblers and Bill Stellhorns are in Florida.

Nathan Small and Mary Ramsdell called on Mr. and Mrs. Everett Chase, Sunday.

Mrs. Valarie Andrews has returned home after being at the home of her daughter, Starr Coyne, in Scarborough last week.

ni and cheese, carrots in orange sauce, tossed garden salad, banana pudding, milk.

Thursday: Chinese pie, cabbage salad, rolls, peaches, milk.

Friday: Beef stroganoff, brown rice, corn, carrot sticks, ice cream, milk.

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